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Prepare for mothers' march

Members of Girl Scout Troop 21, under the supervision of Mrs. Judy Hart, are helping prepare mothers' march material for the March of Dimes. Two of the young Scouts are shown here with Mrs. James Turner of 307, Hardin, who is serving as mothers' march chairman. At left is Karen Hart, 12, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hart of 107 Dudley. At right is Gina Buchanan, 11, daughter of Mrs. Sarah Buchanan of 1400 West Murray Lane. (Daily Standard Photo)

U.S., South Vietnam to declare ceasefire

SAIGON (AP) — A cease-fire will be declared by the United States and South Vietnam on the eve of President Nixon's inauguration Saturday to pave the way toward signing of a peace agreement to end the Indochina war, South Vietnamese sources said tonight.

Nixon was said to have advised President Nguyen Van Thieu that an international agreement has been reached to preclude further hostilities by North Vietnam, and to have told Thieu to "trust in me."

At the Florida White House, administration spokesmen had no comment on the report. "There will be a great number of these reports. We are not going to have comment. We are not going to discuss the subject," Deputy press secretary Neal Ball said.

The unilateral cease-fire would be designed to set the stage for an exchange of prisoners and for the signing by the foreign ministers of the United States, North Vietnam, South Vietnam and the Viet Cong of the peace settlement drafted at Paris, the informants said.

There was no clear understanding of whether Hanoi and the Viet Cong had agreed to the allied cease-fire. However, the sources, who have had access to discussions by Thieu and other top-level South Vietnamese leaders of the latest draft proposal, said concessions had been made by both sides on essential issues blocking the peace treaty.

These reports came after Gen. Alexander M. Haig Jr. conferred for 2½ hours with Thieu on the draft proposal worked out by Henry A. Kissinger and Hanoi's Le Duc Tho in Paris.

The informants went on to say that the Saigon government may have reservations about the final draft agreement, but that it was recognized that with Nixon applying pressure for a settlement and Congress threatening to cut off aid, Thieu is faced with no choice but to go along.

Nixon's reported allusion to an international arrangement to guarantee peace was said by the sources to have been contained in a letter to Thieu, delivered either by U.S. Ambassador Ellsworth Bunker last weekend or by Haig, Nixon's special emissary.

According to the sources, the letter urged Thieu not to worry about the terms of the peace settlement because of the arrangement which would assure that any fresh effort by North Vietnam to start another war after a peace agreement would get nowhere.

There were no details given on the agreement to which the letter supposedly referred, but one South Vietnamese official said:

"Both sides are under pressure. We are under pressure from the United States. Hanoi is under pressure from the Soviet Union and Communist China ... Everything must be understood in the context of an international arrangement in the light of the detente."

Official sources said North Vietnam and the United States had agreed on the size of an international force to supervise the cease-fire. South Vietnamese sources said the new draft still left unresolved such basic Saigon demands as the withdrawal of all North Vietnamese troops from South Vietnam and restoration of the demilitarized zone between the North and South. But progress toward agreement was reported on those also.

Planning commission recommends annexation

The planning and zoning commission last night recommended to the city council that 1,500 acres of land along the north and south edges of Sikeston be incorporated into the city limits.

The major problem facing the city in annexing the land is extending city utilities to the sites.

The land recommended for annexation includes an area of 1,200 acres north of the Rodeo grounds and east to Interstate 55, the Cummins Diesel and highway patrol site south of the city, and the LaValle property southwest of the city along Highway 60.

Two owners of land north of the Rodeo grounds have asked for annexation so they can develop the land. Burt Rowe and Bob Nowell both plan residential developments in the area recommended for annexation.

Cummins Diesel has told the city it is willing to be annexed into Sikeston. The council is not expected to approve the annexation of the Highway patrol site if the patrol elects to remain in Poplar Bluff.

The LaValle property along Highway 60 was described by commissioners as some of the prime area for industrial development in the city. The land is located at the southwest corner of the city, and has running through it highway 60 and the Frisco Railroad.

The commission tabled an annexation proposal for a 1,400 acres of land east of Interstate 55, saying they wanted to give it further consideration.

Commission members had expressed doubt about whether absorbing such a large area at this time would be in the city's interest and wanted to study the proposal further.

The problem facing the city in the proposed expansion is paying for the extension of city utilities into the areas. Cost estimates are around $600,000 for providing utilities to the land north of the Rodeo grounds. For the LaValle property estimates are $220,000 and for the Cummins Diesel and Patrol site, $38,000.

Commissioners discussed two possible methods of paying for extending the utilities, a bond issue and a water district.

The idea of creating a water district seemed to attract the most attention. Basically the water district would require each property owner to pay for installation of the utilities. The expansion would cost nothing to land owners in areas already served.

A revenue bond would be paid for by revenues from the utilities. A general obligation bond, if necessary, still would not mean an increase in taxes because Sikeston will retire a bond issue in 1974.

Dick Inman, director of municipal utilities, told the

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Mothers to march for Dimes

Volunteers are needed for the March of Dimes mothers' march against birth defects, which will be held in Sikeston Jan. 29, Mrs. James Turner of 307 Hardin, chairman said today.

"There are so many kinds of birth defects, with varying causes, that no single scientific discovery will solve the entire puzzle. But medicine now offers greather help than ever in preventing, correcting or repairing certain kinds of damage," she noted.

In January, mothers all over the country march to bring new hope in the fight against birth defects. Contributions made to marching mothers help support National Foundation-- March of Dimes

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3 candidates declare early

PORTAGEVILLE — Three candidates have made early declarations for elective offices in the April 3 city elections, according to City Clerk Raymond Secoy who said the filing deadline is midnight March 3.

Seventeen- year veteran Police Chief Joe Moore has filed for re- election to a two-year term. Benny Goodman is a candidate for the ward one alderman post now held by Lewis Hoxworth. Taylor Noles Sr., who has been serving as police judge since December, has filed for that office to fill a one- year unexpired term vacated by Jake Rone.

Other two- year terms expiring are those of Mayor Roy Moore; ward two alderman Donald Rone; and city collector, which has been filled since November by Mrs. Evelyn Adams following the resignation of Mrs. Mary Ann Long.

Interchange plan appears dying

A proposal to build a third Sikeston interchange on Interstate 55 seems to be dying, despite recently expressed interest and probable benefits it would bring to Sikeston, The Daily Standard has learned.

The interchange, proposed near the eastern end of Tanner Road, stands little chance of receiving federal approval, according to District 10 Engineer Lionel Murray. Although Murray did not say the proposal is completely dead, it seems to have little chance of being accepted in the new future.

Murray said the stretch from Benton to Sikeston is one of the longest in the state without an interchange. The proposed interchange at Tanner Road would help break up this stretch.

However, Murray said, the cost of building a new interchange on an existing interstate highway is extremely high. So high, Murray added, that the state can't afford to build the interchange itself and that chances of Federal Highway Administration help are virtually nonexistent. Murray said he could not even guess at the cost.

The highway department last year checked three possible locations for an interchange, Murray said. One was Route U near Blodgett where the road goes under I-55; another was Route H where it goes over I-55; and the third was Tanner Road.

The reason for rejecting Route U, Murray said, was that it served too few people at Blodgett. The Route H interchange would not be near any populated area, he said.

The Tanner Road location was found likely to benefit the most people by making it easier for north Sikeston residents to reach the highway.

Murray said an interchange would probably cause a boom in the northern part of town and along Tanner Road.

City Manager Jim Huff also said the interchange would benefit the city. He had recently asked Murray about the future of the proposed interchange and seemed disappointed to learn that it would probably not be built.

The interchange was proposed for the area recommended Monday night for annexation to the city.

Beaird case dismissed

Case was dismissed this morning and costs were certified to the state for Winford L. Beaird, charged with stealing $1,200 from Liberty Supermarket on Dec. 8, in Magistrate Court by Judge Lloyd G. Briggs.

Assistant prosecuting attorney Steve Taylor said the case was dismissed because of insufficient evidence.

Joe Glenn was bound over to appear in Circuit Court on Feb. 8 on charges of forging a $77 money order to El Capri Motel by using the name William L. Brown.

Guilty pleas by Donald E. Culbertson and C. D. Alcorn Jr. were taken under advisement by Judge Lloyd Briggs and both were ordered to reappear on Feb. 6. The two are charged with turning over an automobile on Oct. 30, 1972 belonging to Pat Curry.

Jack Lee Beckwith, Billy Gene Boshears Jr. and Bruce Lynn Wolferding, charged with disturbing the peace at the Curry home on Oct. 30 and challenging him to a fight, had cases taken under advisement and were ordered to reappear on Feb. 6.

David Lee Cannon of Sikeston, charged with felonious assault on Paula Cannon, had case continued until Jan. 23 and was ordered to obtain counsel.

After entering a plea of guilty to charges of writing a $65 bad check to Bill Tinsley on April 14, 1972, Gail Doss was ordered to make restitution, pay costs within 90 days and was placed on probation for one year.

A warrant was issued for Richard Copeland of Sikeston for failure to appear in court on charges of speeding.

James Roy Jerrold of Hayti, charged with speeding, was fined $20 and costs.

Fry charged with leaving accident

BERNIE — Johnny Fry, 30, of 17 North Cora St., Dexter, has been charged with leaving the scene of an accident which occurred at 1:15 a.m. Saturday on Highway 25.

Fry apparently struck a car driven by Harold Belcher Jr., 25, of 613 North Elm St., Dexter, and continued into the residential area of town.

Bernie police found the car involved in the accident abandoned in Bernie on Saturday. Fry was arrested on Sunday.

It's inside . . .

A woman finds many uses for her wedding dress. See Ann Landers. Turn to ... page 5.

Illmo- Scott City dumps Chaffee 72-57. Turn to ... page 9.

Squirrels will face a lean winter. Turn to ... page 10.

Legal rights are few for illegitimate children. Turn to ... page 11.

. . . and outside

Generally fair and mild tonight, low 38 to 45; winds southerly 8 to 15 mph; increasing cloudiness and mild Wednesday with high in 60s; probabilities of measurable precipitation 5 per cent tonight, 10 per cent Wednesday.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Little or no chance of precipitation Thursday through Saturday; warm Thursday; not quite so warm Friday and Saturday but still mild; high Thursday in low 60s; highs dropping into the upper 50s Friday and Saturday; lows from 30s into low 40s.

HIGH AND LOW

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today were 45 and 27 degrees.

Sunset today ..... 5:06 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow...7:10 a.m.
The moon is at perigee today and sets tomorrow at--- 6:05 a.m.

PROMINENT STARS

Rigel due south ..... 9:28 p.m.
Aldebaran sets.....3:23 a.m.

VISIBLE PLANETS

Saturn above Aldebaran as it sets. Mars in the southeast--- 5:45 a.m. Venus rises--- 6:14 a.m.

Dexter leases alarm system

DEXTER— The city council Monday night unanimously approved the recommendation of the finance committee to hire the Day— Spitzmiller accountant firm of Dexter for the city. The firm has only prepared the annual audit for the city in the past, but now will do interim monthly financial statements.

The council also decided to lease a dispatching unit from The Guardsman Company of Poplar Bluff to be placed in the new dispatcher's office at No. 2 Fire Station on Market Street.

The unit will be leased for $283 a month, and the city hopes to purchase the unit upon approval of federal funds. Total cost of the unit is $16,420. If approved, the city would pay 25 per cent or $4,105. State funds will pay the remaining 75 per cent, if approved. Should the city buy the unit at a later date, the lease payments will be refunded.

Approximately 48 burglar and fire alarms will be hooked up on the unit and all railroad crossings with flashing lights in the city will be monitored. All doors to fire stations No. 1 and No. 2 will be monitored.

The council discussed the election on April of three new city aldermen, one from each ward. Aldermen serve a two-year term. Deadline for filing will be noon March 10. Publication of the election will be on March 9.

Mayor Willis Conner told the council that a check received in the amount of $28,500 was not a revenue sharing check but was money from the Environmental Protection Agency. Mayor Conner said the first revenue sharing check received by the city was in the amount of $47,923, and the second check was for $46,006.

The council approved the Shelton Subdivision located west of the Elder Manufacturing Plant.

Richard Hodder of Dexter had his electrical license renewed by the council.

Reorganization hearings hit snag

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Hearings on a gigantic government reorganization bill hit their first snag today when Gov. Christopher S. Bond asked agency heads not to testify until they had been confirmed by the Senate.

Charles Valier, legislative counsel for Bond, also said his office needed more time to examine the bill.

The Committee on Gubernatorial Appointments scheduled a meeting for 2 p.m. today.

Bond's request would delay testimony from state officials on most of the departments except for higher education, elementary education and the revenue department. The general public could still testify.

Hearings began Monday and will continue all week, even into the night if necessary, said the chairman, Sen. Albert M Spradling, D-Cape Girardeau.

Spradling said abandoning the seven-pound Senate bill in favor of a 27-page House version might create "four years or reform."

Victor Tell Neff, of the Legislative Research Committee, said the 13 divisions that would be under the department are: the Public Service Commission; Tourism, Commerce and Industrial Development, Finance, Consumer Protection, Savings and Loan Supervision, Professional Registration, Administrative Hearings, Human Rights, Weights and Measures, Athletic Affairs, Council on the Arts and Insurance.

The head of the Consumer Department would be able to appoint the heads of the divisions, subject to senate approval, if the bill is approved.

Reorganization of the secutive branch into 13 large departments and one department under the governor was approved by the voters last August.

An interim committee labored all fall over the senate bill that will bring about reorganization in one big package, as recommended by former Gov. Warren E. Hearnes, says it sponsor, Sen. William J. Cason, D-Clinton.

Spradling criticized an anouncement by the Missouri Public Expenditure Survey saying a streamlined reorganization bill, with the backing of the chairmen and vice chairmen of the Little Hoover Commission, would be introduced Tuesday by Rep. Harold Volkmer, D-Hannibal.

The Little Hoover Commission studied government reoganization.

"I'd safely say there might be 100 revision bills" needed for Volkmer's bill, Spradling said, and he criticized the expenditure survey—a nonprofit government research organization—for not notifying him before announcing details of volkmer's bill.

"Is this the right approach or should we take three or four years" to fully implement reorganization? Spradling asked. He said he would choose the senate route and — I have 21 years of experience to back it up."

Reorganization will take effect in 1974.

The basic difference in the bills is that Cason's bill incorporated all the necessary statutory changes for euach department and agency, outling their authority. Volkmer's bill would merely outline the transfers and empower the interim committee on legislative research to draft bills revising each agency. It is the Senate's feeling that acting later on revision bills might take several years to achieve full reorganization.

Spradling said his committee would go "full blast," meeting at 9 a.m, 1:30 p.m., and 7:30 p.m. or 8 p.m. each day through next Monday, with the exception of Friday afternoon.

Spradling commented that his mail was running like this:

"I'm all in favor of reorganization as long as it doesn't apply to us."

Testimony on each department, starting with the Office of Administration and Department of Agriculture, was to being Tuesday.

Monday's hearing was crowded with department and agency representatives but Tel Neff of the Legislative Research Committee held the floor, going through the massive bill department-by-department.

Sen. A. Clifford Jones, RBrentwood, fired out a stream of questions about duplication of authority and jurisdiction over federal money. on mny questins, Neff was directed to go back and do more research.

The consitutional amendment sets up the Office of Administration (which came into being Monday under a law passed in the last general session; and 13 departments:

Agriculture, naturual resources, conservation, elementary education, higher education, highways, transportation, labor and industrial relations, consumer affairs-regulation and licensing, public safety, revenue, social services and mental health.

In most cases, the governor would appointthe department head and the head would appoint the division directors who must be confirmed by the senate.

The Office of Administration already is set up and it supervises the old Division of Budget and Comptroller, Division of Planning and Construction, Personnel Division, Division of Procurement and the old Administrative Services section.

Under reorganization in the Senate bill, it also would take over the fast-growing Department of Community Affairs, which would be reduced to division status.

The community affairs director would be appointed by the chief of administration with the consent of the Senate rather than by the governor, as is done now.

Also under the Office of Administration would be the Division of Highway Safety, StateFederal Relations Agency, Law enforcement Advisory Council and Division of Comprehensive Health Planning with a 49member council appointed by the governor.

There was an attempt, Neff said, to place al those agencies dealing with federal funds— aside from education—in the Office of Administration.

Sen. Paul Bradshaw, RSpringfield, wondered if some new laws still would be needed in this area and Cason

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Tuesday, January 16, 1892, Schizophrenic philosopher observes, "I think, therefore, we are."

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

When people have nothing to do, it is because they won't do anything.

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NOTED AND PASSED...

Tom Westfall tells this story in the YUMA (COLORADO) PIONEER: A small community in Kansas was shocked when the twelve- year - old son of a leading citizen, without any prior warning, died suddenly in his sleep. An autopsy revealed that the lad was the victim of a rare and unsuspected form of meningitis.

His death saddened everyone. No one could understand why so young a person had to die. Some bitterness was expressed along with a great deal of bewilderment.

But one of the boy's friends put the whole thing in perspective when he said to the youth's mother; "I bet Mark was surprised to wake up and see Jesus."

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Charlie Henson Lord Mayor of Dog Trot advises you can't lead someone else any farther than you have gone yourself.

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'A POLICEMAN'S
LOT IS' --- ETC.

A San Francisco psychaitrist reports a new illness caused by today's social tension — "policeman's syndrome."

The status of a policeman, says Dr. Martin G. Blinder, has shifted abruptly from "straightforward and politically approved opponent of evil" to where he has now become the buffer between powerful social forces.

This new role, he says, is unfamiliar, complex and ambiguous, as well as politically charged. As a result, his police officer patients suffer accelerated heartbeats, sweats and lightheadedness.

Policemen are literally getting sick of being called "pigs."

Meanwhile it is interesting to note that on the college campus, where this lovely term was a favorite of the love generation, students are being mugged, raped and robbed with such "alarming frequency" that they are demanding more protection from campus security officers — police, that is.

So reported John W. Powell, executive secretary of the International Association of College and University Security Directors, at a recent conference at Pace College.

Maybe the kids are getting tired of calling a hippie when there's trouble and nobody comes.

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The father in our block advises one thing that you can get for a quarter these days is a protest from the kids that it ain't enough.

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According to "The Spotlight", published by Field Enterprises Educational Corporation, "... children have eyes, ears, noses, and muscles, and ... they like to use them. The charm and vitality of direct experiences,of knowledge by acquaintance, are well illustrated in an article published by Edward Vernon in the British Weekly. He asked children to prepare an answer to the question, 'What are the loveliest things you know, persons not counted?' Here are some of these children's answers: The scrunch of dry leaves when you walk through them; looking into deep clear water; the taste of strawberries; smoke rising; rain on your cheeks. We could learn something very important by noting how little children see the world with a questioning, innocent eye."

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According to U. S. News & World Report, many officials in Washington, Saigon and Paris were caugh completely by surprise when the North Vietnamese Communist suddenly took the wraps off delicate truce negotiations. One theory: The Reds thought their broadcasts of their terms might pressure the U. S. into a hasty settlement before everything was tucked in and all the seams stitched.

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Home means more to a woman than to a man because it is a place where she can take off her corset.

"Arrest That Man!"



TOMORROW
JANUARY 17 —
WEDNESDAY

BANJAMIN FRANKLIN'S BIRTHDAY. Jan. 17. Born this day, 1706, died April 17, 1790. Birthday commemorated each year by The Poor Richard Club of Philadelphia, with graveside observance.

BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS AT THE CATHEDRAL. Jan. 17. Mexico. Church of San Antonio in Mexico City or Xochimilco provide best sights of chickens, cows and household pets gaily decorated with flowers.

NATIONAL MICROFILM ASSOCIATION: MID-WINTER MEETING. Jan. 17-19. Phoenix, Arizona. Info from: National Microfilm Assn., Kenneth L. Wilkins, 8728 Colesville Rd., Suite 1101 Silver Spring, Md. 20910.

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MORE FOR
THE STATE

While the state is turning the governor's office over to a different party, administration of one of the state's major problems ermains in Democratic hands— and , as Treasurer- elect James I. Spainhower's new program indicates, in good hands.

Mr. Spainhower's program is incorpaorated in a bill introduced by Senator Spradling of Cape Girardeau. One provision would let the state receive the market interest rate on bank time deposits; present law restricts the rate paid the state to half of 1 per cent below the average paid on U.S. Treasury bonds. This unnecessary restriction reduces the amount the state can earn on its own money.

Two other provisions would permit investment of state funds for a minimum of 30 days, instead of 90, and reduce the amount of callaeral banks must post for state funds from an unreasonable 110 per cent to a sound 100 per cent. The first would give the Treasurer more flexibility in earning money for the state, nd the second would free some bank funds for loans useful to Missouri's economy.

Handling of state deposits by previous Democratic Treasurers created deserved ciritcism and a need for reform that is surely nonpartisan. Mr. Spainhower ought to be able to count on support for his program from both parties in the Legislature.

Post Dispatch

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A man was driving through the country when his motor stopped. He got out to see if he could locate the trouble. A voice behind him said, "The trouble is in the carburetor." He turned around, but saw only an old horse. "I said, you better check the carburetor," repeated the horse.

Rushing to the nearest farm house, the man related his experience to a farmer. "Was it an old bay horse with a flop ear?" asked the farmer. "Yes, yes, that's the one," babbled the man. "Well, don't pay no attention to him," said the farmer. "He don't know nothing about automobiles anyway."

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"Shut your door, bolt and latch it, here comes Lizzie with a brand- new hatchet."

The story of Lizzie Borden killing her parents has mellowed through the years; but the horror still remains, even in a comic song. The structure of Lizzie's motives probably lies deep in the psyche of every human being. However, when the story hit the press, who would or could listen to the rationale of a psychologist? There was only horror.

Life Magazine recently printed a story about Richie, a teenager who, in a melodramatic Lizzie- in-reverse scene, is killed by his father. Horrible? Yes. But, ironically some people may thing they find him easier to understand than Lizzie because he used marijuana and secobarbitol. "Why bother with a study of complex motivations," they might ask, "when durg- using is the obvious cause."

Actually, drug- use may be a scapegoat. The whole basic premise is that drugs cause bad things to happen. Sometimes they do, but often it is the other way around: bad things cause drugs to happen.

Fortunately, the "Richie" tragedy is an extreme case. His story is not being duplicated in every neighborhood across the country. But, unfortunately, almost all publications and films dealing with drug abuse use similar case history stereotypes which predispose us to act incorrectly in drug education.

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PLYMOUTH TIES IN
WITH INDY 500

It is no easy rub to get publicity on TV newscasts but Plymouth scored a coup prior to the 1969 Indianapolis 500. After Andy Granatelli's racing team had almost won the race in '67 and '68 with a turbine engine, they were forced to go to a piston engine.

Plymouth built it for them and the trial runs were filmed in color. Ten days before the race, the film clip (55 seconds) was sent to sports editors of 500 TV stations in the U.S.

Enclosed was a prepaid reply card which carried spaces for checking the comments. "Yup, we're using the Andy Granatelli newsfilm," or "Nope, can't use it," with space for comments.

235 we- used- it cards came back indicating that the film had been exposed to a total audience of 15 million. Since other stations may have used the clip but did not bother to mail the card, chances are the audience was considerably larger.

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IMPROPER USE OF
FUNDS

Rising costs may push a college education beyond the reach of many young people-- and the struggling parents who want to see their children have the advantages of the university experience. In view of these already exorbitant costs, many students and parents are likely to rebel against the drive to charge students a fee to support student activists and consumer protection organizations such as has been carried on in the state of Oregon.

An indication of the feeling of some students on the subject was the action of a student group at Oregon State University. They expressed opposition to the use of student funds to support activist causes which they felt went far beyond consumer protection. Such causes enter the realm of "investigations of government to make it more responsive, exposes of the military- industrial alliance, or campaigns for racial or sexual equality.'.

If compulsory support for political causes is to become an accepted part of college tuition, higher education can look forward to a shabby and declining future.

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A LOT OF MILEAGE

High- volume, mass retail distribution, as exemplified by the chain store system of merchandising, more than proved its worth to consumers in the past year. This is the only conclusion that can be drawn from a study of the operating results of the nation's food chains published by Cornell University.

Professor Earl H. Brown, who participated in the study, pointed out that a whopping 14 percent increase in average volume per store allowed for food chain industry to spread rising costs over an expanded base and hold profit margins to a modest decline in fiscal 1969-70. As a result of the enormous increase in store volume-quantity of goods sold- over the previous year, price increases were held to a minimum. At the same time, the long- term trend in margins and profits continued to decline. Net earnings as a percent of sales dropped from 1.02 percent in 1968- 69 to .92 percent in 1969- 70, the lowest figure since 1952. This means that less than a penny of every dollar consumers spend in the average local chain store supermarket can be called "profit". So far as consumers are concerned, the average food chain might as well be a nonprofit institution. If the profit were wiped out altogether, the housewife would never notice the difference in her grocery bill.

Yet, in another way, she would notice a big difference if that small profit were removed from the books of the nation's food retailers. It represents the incentive that keeps retailers in business. That fraction of a penny keeps alive the profit motive. More than that, it is a tribute to the efficiency of our competitive distribution system. Today's mass retail food distributor gets a lot of mileage out of a penny, and the consumer is the main benefactor.

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"No wonder Monette gets A's in French. Her parents were born in Paris and they speak nothing but French at home."

"In that case, I should get A's in geometry. My folks are squares and talk in circles.

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HARD TO FOLLOW

THE MINISTER asked for anyone who knew a truly perfect person to stand up.

After a long pause, a meek-looking fellow in the back arose. "Do you really know a perfect person?" the minister queried.

"Yes, sir, I do," answered the little man.

"Won't you please tell the congregation who this rare, perfect person is?" pursued the minister.

"Yes, sir. It was my wife's first husband."

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TAX MYTH EXPLODED

The myth that corporations have received too much tax relief- as compared with individuals— is simply not true, according to the National Association of Manufacturers.

U.S. Treasury Department statistics show the following results of major tax legislation since 1969:

For the years 1969- 1972:

Corporate income tax revenues increased by $4.9 billion;

Individual income tax revenues decreased by $18.9 billion.

For the years 1969- 1980, if there are no further changes in the tax laws, it is estimated that net corporate income tax revenues will have decreased by $8.1 billion compared with a whopping $140.7 billion revenue decline which is expected in individual income taxes during this period.

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Pollution is one of those things that everybody talks about and everybody does something about— like contributing to it.

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A GOOD REASON

DRIVING IN A dense fog, the motorist followed the tail light ahead of him for a full hour, free from worry. Suddenly the red beacon stopped and the two cars collided sharply.

"Hey, why didn't you pump your brakes to let me know you were going to stop?" yelled the man to the driver ahead of him.

"And just why in the blinkty- blank blue blazes should I?" came the angry reply. "I'm in my own garage!"

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HERITAGE OF FREEDOM

Mr. Charles B. Shuman, recently retired head of the nation's largest farm organization, the American Farm Bureau Federation, has been a lifelong advocate of the free market and private enterprise in agriculture. Under his leadership, the American Farm Bureau and its nearly two million members steadfastly supported proposals for the gradual dismantling of the bureaucratic and costly agricultural programs of government supply management. Mr. Shuman called them "payments, permits and peasantry." He has left a heritage of independence in agriculture that will make itself felt in years to come.

As U.S. taxpayers, which include millions of farmers, grow tired of seeing the government pour billions of dollars down the rathole of unworkable government farm programs, a simple truth expressed by Mr. Shuman must eventually be recognized. He said, "The future of agriculture lies in producing for the market-- in producing the things for which consumers indicate a preference by the way they spend their money. This means that the price system must be allowed to guide changes in production and consumption."

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Gabriel often blows his horn for careless drivers who don't.

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The Department of Health, Education and Welfare has proposed a $23,000 study to determine why youngsters fall off their tricycles.

H.L. Hunt

A POTENTIAL VICTORY

The Freedom side has won a potential victory, one which can become permanent if good citizens continue to cause elected officials to consider the consequences of the proposed hugh natural gas deal with Soviet Russia. Six U.S. firms were expected to sign before the end of 1972 to go ahead with the plan to provide the capital and technology, along with the U.S. taxpayer, for exploitation of Siberian hydrocarbon resources.

Wise arguments have caused a slowdown in these plans. For one thing, after furnishing billions of dollars and priceless technological know- how, U.S. companies would have to pay $1.50 per 1,000 cubic feet for the Soviet natural gas, compared to the current U.S. price of only 20 cents per 1,000.

The plan involved paying $40 billion to the communists for natural gas, which they could cut off at any time they choose. They could also double the price, if they chose, and we would be helpless to do anything about it, once we had crippled our domestic hydrocarbon industry. Doubt is growing that the claimed Soviet gas reserves are sufficient, and they are unwilling to allow tests to reassure the U.S. companies that any investment is worthwhile.

The wiser plan would be to remove the artificial price ceilings on our own gas. It would be much smarter to pay 40 cents or 80 cents per 1,000 cubic feet to our own land owners, royalty owners, energy companies and workers, all of whom are U.S. taxpayers, and thus provide incentive for finding new domestic reserves than to pay $1.50 or $2 or $5 per 1,000 to the Soviets. It is not necessary to pay $1.50 or $2 for U.S. gas, but it would be better than paying it outside our nation. HLH

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

WASHINGTON — Some of the nation's most influential labor leaders have just made an offer Jimmy Hoffa is certain they can't refuse. They've been invited to sit on the dais alongside him at a banquet testimonializing Jimmy as "a great labor leader."

The "feed" is at a Cherry Hill, N.J., nightclub -- an intoxicating spot from which to attempt launch a march back to awesome national power from prison and that Elba in the sun, Hoffa's luxurious Bal Harbour, Fla., condominium. Actually, it won't be a march. Hoffa can take off from his swimming pool - studded home in his limousine fully equipped with chauffeur and bodyguard.

This banquet, scheduled for Feb. 9, is the conversation piece these days at the Hotel Diplomat, in Hollywood, Fla., just up the road a piece from Jimmy, where the Teamsters' powerful International Executive Board members are gathered. Most of them don't want to dishonor Jimmy publicly. Nor do they want to honor him either.

The dinner is strangely being "thrown" by an obscure regional chap, John Greeley, leader of Local 676 Teamsters, Camden (N.J.).

It is his round - robin letter to AFL-CIO officials, auto union leaders as well as national Teamsters chiefs, which contains that "try- it- you'll - like - it" offer. Obviously Mr. Greeley has been inspired. But by whom? This is no ordinary beef brew. The scheduling is not accidental.

After midnight, March 10, James Riddle Hoffa, ex-convict No. 33298, will no longer be required to report to his parole officer in Detroit. He is free of any U. S. Parole Board restrictions. Only President Nixon's strictures remain -- no direct or indirect management of any labor organization or Jim Hoffa goest back to prison until March 1980.

Obviously, Hoffa plans to defy the President. No one should underestimate the drive, the strength, the influence, the doggedness, the brashness, the sheer taut steel nerves and nerve of Jimmy. Though a millionaire, he's going for broke. Money's not the thing, though it was originally. It's the fetish for power which moves this 59-year - old bantam.

And the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, I do believe, is the world's most powerful union. In the wrong man's hands it could decide the way the U. S. should stand still.

It has over 2.1 million members, almost 11 per cent of all union labor, more than 2.5 per cent of all American wage earners, and claims "its collective bargaining involves more people than employed by AT&T, GE, GM, Ford, RCA and the next top dozen blue-chip companies combined.

If centrally and ruthlessly directred, it could move into any coaltion or labor federation and dominate it -- be it national or international. That's power. That's Hoffa.

Insiders believe his trategy is simple: The Feb. 9 banquet will be his coming - out party -- the move from Elba. Then he plans to accept the job offer made to him last year by Dave Johnson, president of his 18,000 - member home Local 299 in Detroit. This move would give him some special status in the local and the movement -- either as a consultant, pension manager, business agent, or even as a replacement for Johnson, who reportedly would be glad to retire or turn emeritus for Hoffa.

After that Jimmy, truly a friend of some of the nation's ugliest underworld forces, could again move among the rank and file, right on the truck- loading platforms, the docks and in the warehouses.

Then up the ladder to the presidency of the regional Michigan Conference, the 13-state Central States Conference, ultimately the international presidency at the 1976 national convention.

Thus, the national spotlight will be on incumbent general president Frank (Fitz) Fitzsimmons. He is far more now than simply one of a score of powerful internationally - known labor executives. He is a confidant of President Nixon. He is one of Phase Three's 10-man Labor - Management Advisory Board. In a sense, he has been Mr. Nixon's in-house labor chief.

What does Fitz think? He tells friends, "I can't comprehend him (Hoffa). I don't understnad what he's doing."

Well, the watch is on. An official of the Justice Dept.'s Office of the Pardon Attorney says they will be keeping their eye on Hoffa and "there is not going to be any buck - passing. As soon as it is brought to our attention that Hoffa has violated the President's ban on labor action before 1980, one or more people in the Justice Dept. will take a look and the decision will be made whos responsibility it will be to zero in (on Hoffa)."

And the President is reportedly set to send the U. S. marshall immediately after Hoffa to take him back to that Elba in the North known as Lewisberg Penitentiary.

But Hoffa has been known to defy the law and to work the courts for years. And his appeals may outlast this administration. Napolenic history holds no fears for Jimmy.

Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Jack Anderson

JACK ANDERSON SAYS:
Richardson's Parting 'Gift'

WASHINGTON — As a parting gift, Secretary Elliot Richardson of Health, Education and Welfare is leaving behind a blueprint for slashing billions in federal programs for the needy, sick and aged.

In a classified memo written shortly after he agreed to move to the Pentagon, Richardson recommends that the states be given federal funds to take over dozens of social programs now run from Washington.

These include such popular and beneficial projects as Head Start, aid to education, food for the aged, help for alcoholics, VD control, rodent extermination and the drug addiction fight.

The takeover by the states is called "Special Revenue Sharing' but its prospects are so chancy that even Richardson suggests state governors will have to be watched every minute. Besides loosening HEW control of the money, the plan makes congressional overseeing almost impossible.

In giving governors federal school funds, for example, the able Richardson reminds incoming HEW secretary Caspar Weinberger that, "education is an area where States have strong incentives to disobey federal regulations.

"Our recent audits of Title I funds suggest that where possible, states (and school boards) will use these funds to substitute for rather than supplement local programs. For these reasons, the kinds of strings we place on the ...packages are particularly important."

Richardson also cautions that politically- motivated governors are not above diverting federal cash away from the intended recipients: Poor whites, blacks, Chicanos and Indians.

--Sneaky
State Houses--

The governors, he fears, may "reallocate funds away from (these) politically vulnerable groups," and into their own favorite projects. To block such money juggling, his confidential memo proposes "enforcement procedures," ranging from fund cut- offs to federal investigations of citizen complaints.

Yet Richardson suggests the federal government abandon such agencies for the poor as Head Start and the Community Action Programs which run 90 per cent of Head Start's projects.

There may be problems, Richardson explains, "as states and localities eliminate Head Start projects which are regarded as politically troublesome." Head Start, which trains preschoolers, is given one more year by Richardson before he would cut it adrift from HEW.

As outlined in his memo, the present $400 million in federal Head Start funds would then be cut back to $60 million, just enough for research and experimental activities.

A shift of Treasury cash to the states is also proposed for $2.6 billion (B) in education money, $66 million for vocational training, $130 million for fighting addiction, $70 million to combat alcoholism, $33 million in VD controls and $42 million for the aged.

As reasons for his drastic dismantling of the federal domestic aid machinery, Richardson writes:

"HEW can manage well only a limited number of programs ... The remainder ... should be given to the states and localities in a form which they will find most useful ... To attempt too much is to accomplish nothing at all."

Footnote: Now that Richardson has opened the door to killing off federal aid, the White House is trimming U. S. cash intended for the states, thus ending some programs entirely.

--Washington Whirl--

Blue Yonder Ferry -- Air Force generals from Bolling Air Force Base hop on an elegantly appointed ship every morning for a ride down the Potomac to the Pentagon. What the generals don't know, however, is that beneath the redpile carpeting, the ship is practically falling apart. Official documents show that the 32- year- old vessel is in need of $26,025 in repairs, about what the vessel originally cost in 1940. Air Force inspectors have ordered daily inspections of the ship to make sure it doesn't go under on its ferry run with the big brass.

Congressional Comeback -- Rep. Ogden Reid, D-N.Y., is proposing a new superagency within the General Accounting Office to restore congressional powers whittled away over the past decades by the White House. Congress is peeved because the administration has been overspending for military needs, yet refuses to spend all the funds that Congress appropriates for the environment. The Reid bill would give the GAO power to block the executive branch from spending more (or less) than Congress provides. It would also let the GAO haul administration officials into the federal courts for contempt proceedings if they refuse to testify or to produce records for GAO probers.

Hal Boyle

NEW YORK (AP) — You may not be a relic yet.

Your heirs may not be able to market you as an authentic antique.

But, on the other hand, you're not getting any younger if —

You have more than one knot in your shoestring because you can't bear to throw anything away.

There's no doubt you feel more at home when visiting a museum than when you're in a modern art gallery.

A confused small child is more likely to call you grandpa or grandma than dad or mom.

You know exactly what you'd like to have on your tombstone, but you also are unwilling to fork up the money for an inscription that long.

You make more deposits than withdrawals in your savings account.

It's possible for you to survive a Christmas and still have some money left over.

When you go to a vacation resort, you spend more time sitting in a front porch rocking chair than you do on the golf course or tennis court.

You eat only half as much as you did 10 years ago. You also take about half as many showers, because you rarely do anything to get up a sweat anymore.

It's easier for you to think up half a dozen reasons not to go to a party than think up one reason to go to it.

You're never in so much of a hurry anymore that you can't take time to say, "Thank you," when someone is unexpectedly nice. You also get a big mistyeyed and feel like crying when someone goes out of his way to do you a favor.

You feel patriotic when they play the Star-Spangled Banner. Your mind doesn't stray; you listen to the words as you sing or hum them, and you think about what they mean. And it makes you angry if the tune isn't played exactly the way you like to hear it.

You like to have people ask you what your opinion is during a discussion, but that doesn't happen very often.

You know that somebody else must be getting your share of sex now, but, as far as you are concerned, — well, he is welcome to it.

Yep, time's best child, old you may not be — but getting younger you aren't.

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Legislature may be caught in middle of lib battle

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Missouri legislators may soon be caught in the middle of a battle between women pushing for adoption of the Equal Rights Amendment (ERA) to the U.S. Constitution and other women's groups who are organizing the oppose it.

The ratification measure has been introduced as a resolution in the Senate and has received the endorsment of Gov. Christopher S. Bond. But according to some legislators, it will face a tough battle.

Rep. Rober O. Snyder, RKirkwood, the House minotiry floor leader, "There's a possibility we'll run into real problems with this women's lib resolution."

After being approved by Congress last spring it was quickly approved by 22 states (six states approved it within 48 hours). It takes ratification by 38 states to add the amendment to the constitution.

Era's advocates made a mistake. They forgot to ask all the women.

Sen. Mary L. Gant, D-Kansas City, and the first woman senator in the state's history said, "Ray Howard (D-St. Louis) couldn't even find a co-sponsor for his resolution to adopt the amendment. He looked over and grinned at me when he introduced it because he knows I'm against it."

Missouri may turn out to be like Illinois. Passage of Era in that state legislature seemed to be assured, but that was before Mrs. Phyllis Schlafly, Alton, Ill., and the "stop ERA committee" got involved.

After their opposition, it made it through the Illinois Senate by a slim margin, but was bottled up in a House committee.

The "stop ERA committee" plans a big push in Missouri's 77th General Assembly.

Ann McGraw, head of the St. Louis chapter of the "Stop ERA Committee" said, "we're definitely optimistic about stopping it in Missouri. Our organization was instrumental in stopping it in Illinois and we can do it here if we can mobilize women to see the ramifications of this thing."

The women who oppose ERA say they are not against equal rights for women. They are worried some of the privileges women now enjoy will be destroyed by it.

"This amendment will deprive wives, mothers and draftage girls of precious rights and privileges they now possess," Mrs. Schlafly said in one public statement.

Mrs. McGraw said she is against the ERA because, "the women who are pushing this thing want to interpret the amendment absolutely ... I have two daughters and I don't want them treated like men."

Both her daughters are also active in the efforts to stop the amendment.

"This isn't a bunch of little domestic housewives who are against it," says Sen. Gant, "these are women who have a strong commitment to the American family unit and feel this measure will hurt it.

"I think women deserve protection under the law. This lowers our status by removing our protection."

The ERA opponents are against being drafted into the military, losing work protection laws, being forced to take a 50 per cent responsibility for the family unit.

They also fear the traditional place of the family as an American social unit will be threatened.

Miss Lydia Miller, the head of "Women Opposed to ERA," a Kansas City organization, says, "too often this is considered a woman issue but it will effect men and also children, and it's not going to really help women politically or economically ... we already have all the laws we need on the books."

Water plant payments ok'd

NEW MADRID — In a short mid- month meeting Monday night, the city council approved power plant construction payments, appointed a new night marshal and dog catcher, and discussed other business.

Construction payments totaling $197,698.27 were approved for the city's 600 megawatt steam generating plant in St. Jude Industrial Park. Included in the total are construction payrolls of $17,470.99 for the week of Jan. 5 and $28,003.92 for the week of Jan. 12.

The appointment of Othal Sheppard as parttime night marshal and dog catcher was unanimously approved by the council.

In other business, Duane Youngquist of the firm of Riddle Engineering of Kansas City presented a bill of $14,639.89 for engineering fees charged by his firm for the recent completed city water treatment plant. On advice of city attorney Hal E. Hunter, the council offered payment of $9,049.40, which is all that is due, according to Hunter's interpretation of the contract.

City administrator Don Lloyd told the board the city had received a second revenue sharing check of $414,639.89 bringing the total received to nearly $30,000, which is $22,000 less than anticipated.

River Stages

MISSISSIPPI RIVER

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Chester	27	12.6	Sta
Cape Girardeau	32	18.6	-.8
Cairo	40	31.1	-2.3
New Madrid	34	23.4	-2.0
Caruthersville	32	24.5	-1.8

FORECAST

At Chester the river will remain steady Wednesday; rise .3 Thursday; and fall .1 Friday.

At Cape Girardeau the tiver will fall .1 Wednesday; remain steady Thursday; and fall .1 Friday.

At Cairo the river will fall 2.3 Wednesday; fall 1.6 Thursday; and fall 1.1 Friday.

At New Madrid the river will fall 2.4 Wednesday; fall 2.4 Thursday; and fall 1.5 Friday.

At Caruthersville the river will fall 1.9 Wednesday; fall 1.8 Thursday; and fall 1.7 Friday.

OHIO RIVER

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Golconda	40	20.5	-2.4
Paducah	39	22.2	-2.6
Grand Chain	42	31.1	-2.6

FORECAST

At Golconda the river will fall 1.3 Wednesday; fall .8 Thursday; and fall .8 Friday.

Pros. attorney for Stoddard moves office

DEXTER — Pros. Atty. Tom Baker has moved into his new office in the Loper-Trammel building at the corner of Stoddard and Locust Streets. The phone number for the new prosecuting attorney is 624-4554.

2 accidents reported

Icy conditions on area highways Monday resulted in two accidents with minor injuries, according to the highway patrol.

Dorothy Moore, 51, of Perryville suffered head cuts in an accident at 7:15 a.m. one mile north of Perryville on Highway 51 when her car went out of control on icy pavement, ran down an embankment and struck a tree. She was taken to Perry County Hospital in Perryville.

A two- car accident at 8:05 a.m. on Route U four miles west of Caruthersville resulted in minor scratches and bruises to Geraldine Walker, 37, of Blytheville, Ark. She was taken to Chickasawba Hospital in Blytheville.

The accident occurred as the Walker car was passing a car driven by Donna Crain, 30, of Bragg City. Mrs. Walker lost control of her vehicle on icy pavement and sideswiped the Crain auto.

Lastinger is new fireman

Kenneth Lastinger, 727 N. Main St., joined the fire department, effective today, according to City Manager Jim Huff.

Lastinger, 29, was employed by the Dyersburg, Tenn., fire department for five years before coming to Sikeston. He had been in the city about eight months.

He is married.

Change stolen from tavern

Sunday night or Monday morning a thief took $30 in change from the Wagon Wheel tavern at 849 W. Malone Ave.

Entrance was gained by breaking open the back door, according to police.

The Mike Bohannon residence at 205 S. Handy was entered between 1:30 and 2:30 p.m. Monday.

Taken was $15 in change. Entrance was gained through the back door.

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Calendar of Events

TUESDAY

Sikeston Extension Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Fred Steward, 1009 N. Kingshighway.

TUESDAY

Morehouse Chapter No. 450, Order of the Eastern Star, will hold its regular stated meeting at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic hall in Morehouse. District deputy grand matron Nadine Collins will make her official visit.

TUESDAY

Delta Gamma Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Charles Baldwin, 102 Link Drive.

TUESDAY

Tau Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Dave Keenan, 124 Autumn.

"Fleas can be taught nearly anything that a Congressman can."(Mark Twain)

Q—What tree sheds its leaves latest in the fall?

A—Usually the oak.

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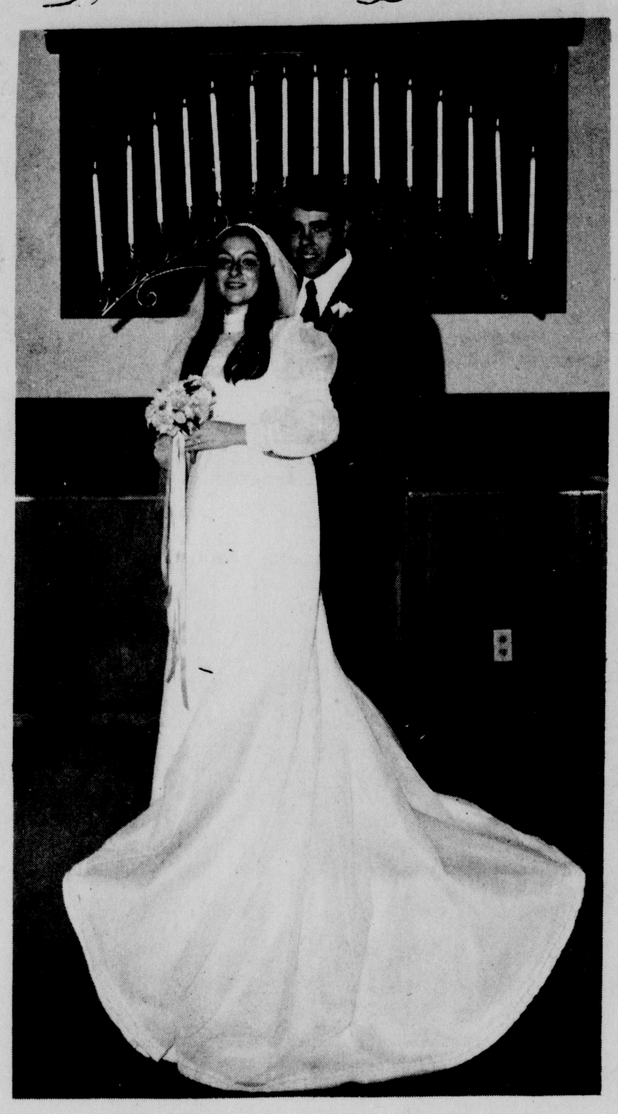
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Women's Page



Mr. and Mrs. James Wiley Lipscomb

Lipscomb-Faulkner

NEW MADRID — Karen Dale Faulkner and James Wiley Lipscomb were united in marriage in a double- ring ceremony on Dec. 28, 1972 at 2 p.m. in New Madrid Baptist Church with the Rev. Edward Wolfe officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vurtis Faulkner of New Madrid Route One, and the groom is the son of Mrs. J. W. Lipscomb of Jonesboro, Ark.

A Christmas setting formed the background with one arched candelabra with white tapers graced on both sides by basket arrangements of poinsettias. Greenery and poinsettias were arranged around the choir loft and red satin bows marked the pews. Candle arrangements were placed in each of 12 windows on each side of the church.

Candlelighters and ushers were Kenneth Faulkner, brother of the bride, and Gary Vaughn, brother- in-law of the bride.

Mrs. Mage Gibson, organist, played wedding selections and the traditional wedding march. Mrs. Doris Jo Lewis played the piano as she sang, "We've Only Just Begun", preceding the ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, chose for her wedding a formal gown of sheerganza and re-embroidered lace. The empire bodice featured a high neckline trimmed with pink re- embroidered lace and tiny pearls also used on the long Queen Ann sleeves and the waistline. The lace also accented the A-line skirt and continued into the semi-cathedral train. She chose a three- tier veil of imported English illusion held secure with a contour cap of re-embroidered lace and accented with tiny pearls for her headpiece. She carried a bridal bouquet of red carnations encircled with pink roses.

The bride chose Mrs. Sondra Faulkner, a sister- in-law, as matron of honor. Miss Carol Wolfe served as bridesmaid, and Angela Faulkner, niece of the bride, was flowergirl.

The matron of honor wore a floor- length velveteen gown fashioned with an empire waistline and a rounded neckline. The bodice was soft pink and the softly gathered skirt was red.

The bridesmaid was attired in a solid red velveteen gown identical to that of the matron of honor. They each wore open pillbox headpieces of matching red velveteen with pink, net, nosetip veils. The flowergirl was attired in a solid pink floor- length gown fashioned with an empire waist, high neckline and a red velveteen sash at the empire waist. She wore a red velveteen bow with long streamers in her hair and carried a small white basketwith red and pink satin bows and holding red and pink carnations. The matron of honor and bridesmaid carried pink and red carnation nosegays with pink and red satin streamers.

The groom chose Danny Dollins of Paragould, Ark., as best man and Keith Bean of Orlando, Fla., as groomsman. The ringbearer was Kevin Kerr of Matthews, cousin of the bride.

The bride's mother wore a gray and white three- piece suit with gray accessories, and the groom's mother wore a gray double- knit suit with gray accessorits. Both wore white carnation corsages.

A reception was held in the dining room of the church following the ceremony. The bride's table was also decorated with a Christmas setting. The centerpiece was a red and green flower arrangement with red candles on each side. The traditional wedding cake, topped with a miniature bride and groom, was at one end of the table and a crystal punch bowl was on the other end. Serving at the reception were Ginger Walls, Vanetta Darter and Phyliss Wescoat, cousin of the bride. Miss Kim Euide of Bald Knob, Ark., presided at the guest book.

The couple left the reception for Jonesboro, Ark., to make its home. The new Mrs. Lipscomb attended Arkansas State University and is now working. Lipscomb is a student at Arkansas State University.

Out- of- town guests were Jenny Young of Wynne, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. Don Lewis and family of Kennett and Mrs. I. V. Simmons and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Simmons of St. Louis.

Correction

The wedding rehearsal dinner for David O. Mulcahy and Sharon Davis was given Dec. 8 a the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Mulcahy, rather than at the home of Mrs. Edna Mulcahy as reported in Monday's Daily Standard.

Sen. Ervin of N.C. guest of DAR club

Sen. Sam J. Ervin Jr. of North Carolina was guest at the January meeting of the Kingshighway Chapter of Daughters of the American Revolution.

He explained faults of the constitutional amendment for equal rights for women in which he stated that 19- year- old girls are subject to the draft, a husband will no longer be the sole support of his wife and family, and sex will no longer be a determining factor in the distribution of the labor force. A resolution, passed at the National Society of Daughters of the American Revolution in Washington at their 81st continental congress pertaining to opposition to passage of the amendment, was read, and members were given a chance to sign the opposition paper which is to be sent to state legislatures.

The meeting was held at the home of Miss Margaret Harris with Mrs. Helen Loud Jones as co- hostess.

Steve Stricker of Charleston was introduced by Mrs. Art Provence of Charleston after Sen. Ervin's speech. He presented a program on his tour of duty in South Vietnam by showing a selection of slides of life at Long Binh, a military complex outside Saigon. He opened his commentary by saying he went to Vietnam determined to make his stay there worthwhile and had enjoyed his assignment overseas.

A social hour followed the program.

Q—What products from trees are among "naval stores"?

A—Resin, turpentine, pitch, tar.

Q—What is the source of the inscription on the Liberty Bell?

A—The Bible's Book of Leviticus, chapter 25, verse 10.

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Dear Ann Landers: Shame on you. What has happened to your flair for flexibility? Why shouldn't a woman find more than one use for a wedding gown? If she uses her imagination the possibilities are endless.

For example: One night I was feeling especially romantic (we had been married less than six months) and my husband wasn't in the mood, so I put on my wedding gown. It was a marvelous aphrodisiac! The wedding gown ended up being a nightgown. I slept in it at least a dozen times after that and then moved the zipper from the back to the front and wore it as a beach cover-up. It was perfect.

A few weeks ago the zipper broke so I made a smock out of the dress and yesterday I washed the car in it.

So you see, Ann, if a woman uses her noodle she can really get her money's worth out of an expensive wedding gown. I paid $200 for mine and it doesn't owe me one cent.--- Bonita In Birmingham

Dear Bon Bon: Now you're what I call a girl with natural resources. But everyone can't sleep in her wedding gown. Some gowns have skin-tight sleeves, a couple dozen buttons down the back, lace insets, not to mention wire-hooped skirts, embroidered rosettes, seed-pearls and sequin trims. This would be murder to sleep on. But thank you for your suggestion. I wouldn't be surprised if dozens of women went to bed in their wedding gowns tonight.

Dear Ann Landers: Today I ran across "A Prayer For The Driver" in a Motor Trade magazine and I hope you will print it. It gives every driver of a motor vehicle something to think about. The author is unknown.--- California Reader In Fullerton

Dear Full: Thank you for sharing. The prayer is, indeed, worth printing. Here it is:

"Lord, impress on me the great responsibility that is mine when I get behind the wheel of my automobile. When I would be careless, remind me that I have in my hands the power of life and death. Write indelibly upon my consciousness that I am a potential murderer, that in one careless moment I could put an end to the lives of some innocent victim, my family, and my own life.

"Help me to be thoughtful, patient, and in control of myself as I drive this car. Help me to extend the same kindness and consideration to others that I would like them to extend to me.

"Give me, Oh Lord, a sense of perspective. Let me never become so foolish that I would take a chance with my own life or anyone else's just to save a few minutes. You know too well, Oh Lord, that heaven is full of people who made that mistake. Amen."

Confidential to Old Wine, New Bottles: Neither the wine nor the bottles are new. It's a story that goes back many centuries. Plato said, "Of all animals, a youth is the most unmanageable, inasmuch as he has the fountain of reason in him not yet regulated. He is the most insidious, sharpwitted, and insubordinate of animals."

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Mrs. Hydrick honored at retirement dinner

Mrs. Dessie Hydrick was honored at a retirement dinner Saturday by employes of Prudential Insurance Company at The Rustic Rock Inn.

Mrs. Hydrick began working for the company on April 19, 1937 at Poplar Bluff and moved to Sikeston in 1944 when the offices moved.

She received a plaque and gifts for her 35 years of service.

Among the 40 persons attending were guests from Poplar Bluff, Paducah, Ky., Cape Girardeau, Sikeston and Cairo, Ill.

Nurse aide classes begin

There will be a nurse aide screening Thursday at Sikeston Activity Center at 8:30 a.m. The class, sponsored by Delta Area Economic Opportunity Corporation, will run for eight weeks with no pay while in training.

Anyone interested in the training should contact counselor Sheila Layton at 471-4113, 201 South Kingshighway.

How many cars would be on the road if they recalled those with a loose nut behind the wheel?

BARBS

By PHIL PASTORET

With all the new shows on TV you can close your eyes and imagine it's September all over again.

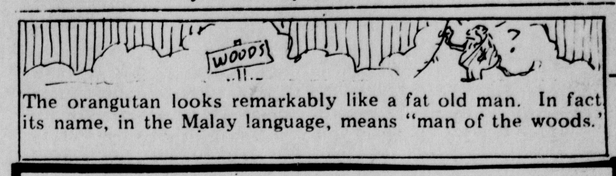
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PAZDERA — Mr. and Mrs. Victor Pazdera of Charleston are parents of a son born Jan. 7 at Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston. The baby weighed six pounds eight ounces and has been named Scott Anthony. He is the fourth child, first son.

Mrs. Pazdera is the former Mary McMillen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie McMillen of Bertrand. Pazdera is the son of Mrs. Josephine Pazdera of Charleston and the late Martin Pazdera. He is employed by Pazdera Construction Co. in Charleston.

BRAZEL — Mr. and Mrs. Larry Brazel of Cape Girardeau are parents of a daughter born Wednesday at 12:05 p.m. at the Southeast Missouri Hospital in Cape Girardeau. She weighed seven pounds five ounces and has been named Angela Lauren. She is the third child, second daughter.

Mrs. Brazel is the former Beechy Brown, daughter of Mrs. Elbert M. Brown of Charleston. Brazel is a farmer and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brazel of Grand Chain, Ill.

Hospital Notes

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY
Census Report 1-16-73

Area	Total Beds	Patients	Reserved Emer. Beds	Gen. Adm. Beds
Med.-Surg.	114	112	2	0
Pediatrics	29	14	0	15
Obstetrics	14	7	0	7
Intensive Care	7	3	0	4

Patients Scheduled For Admission Today: Twelve

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY
Released 1-1-5-73
Mrs. Leslie Whitten & Baby Boy, Matthews
Bernice Stewart, Charleston
Carl Cates, Bertrand
John Oscar Herron, East Prairie
Janice Matthews, Sikeston
Josephine Schwab, Sikeston
Francis A. Woodward, Sikeston
Frances DeLaney, Charleston
Nina Middleton, Sikeston
Marie Penrose, Morehouse
Davis Siars, East Prairie
Gus James, Sikeston
Markeeta Wyse, Sikeston
Earnest Sutton, Matthews
Dorsey Hearon, Morehouse
Martha Ward, New Madrid
Olivia Lee, Charleston
Mrs. Carol Riley & Baby Boy, Sikeston
Ethel Baugus, Sikeston
Annie Lee Sells, Matthews
Debra Sherrard, Sikeston
Roger Miller, Sikeston
Total Patients Discharged: 24
Total Patients Admitted: 20
Births: 0

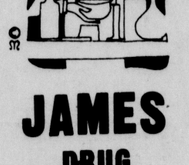
EMERGENCY DEPT.
Accident Patients: 5
Medical Patients: 22
Other Patients: 6
Total Emer. Patients: 33

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Admitted:
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Caroline Eggert, Bernie
Robert Griffin, Sikeston
Hattie Jines, Parma
Claude Robey, Bloomfield
Sandra Crews, Parma
Mini Riefser, Essex
Dollie Smith, Dexter
Juanita McCoy, Dexter
Winifred Evans, Dexter
Danny Barks, Dexter
Virgina Jarrell, Dexter
Kim Worley, Dexter
Jeffrey Myers, Dexter
Jim Kincy, Dexter
Margaret Rendleman, Dexter
Nina Trapper, Dexter
Shirley Carney, Dexter
Chris Kennedy, Dexter
Released:
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Charlie Ross, Bloomfield
Melba Bonds, Bill City
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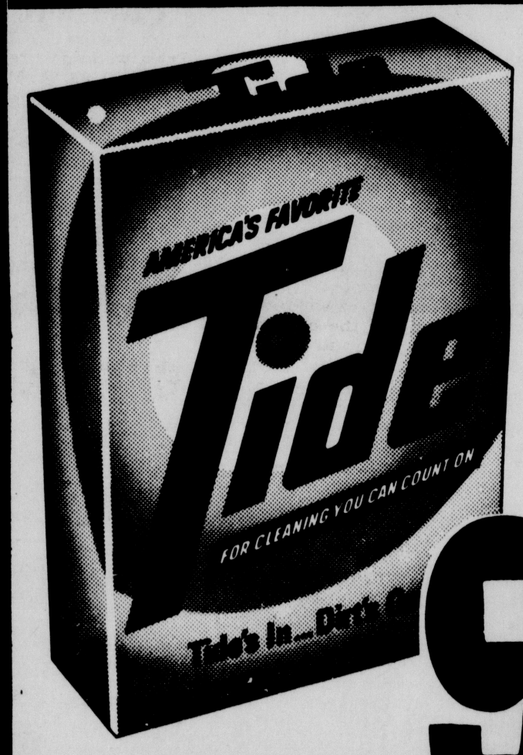
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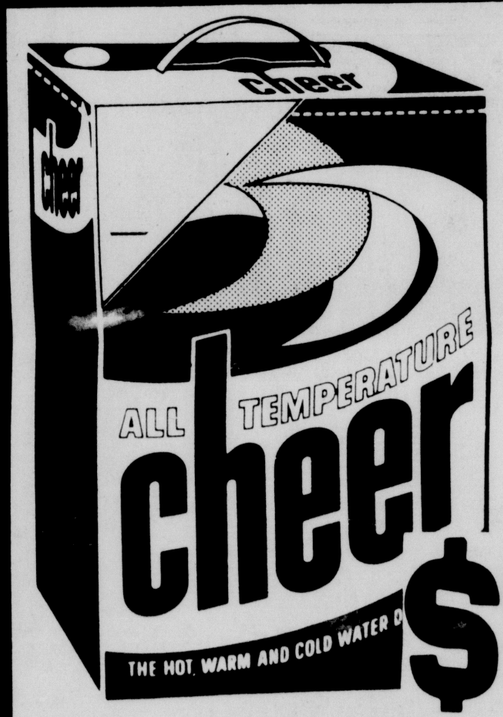
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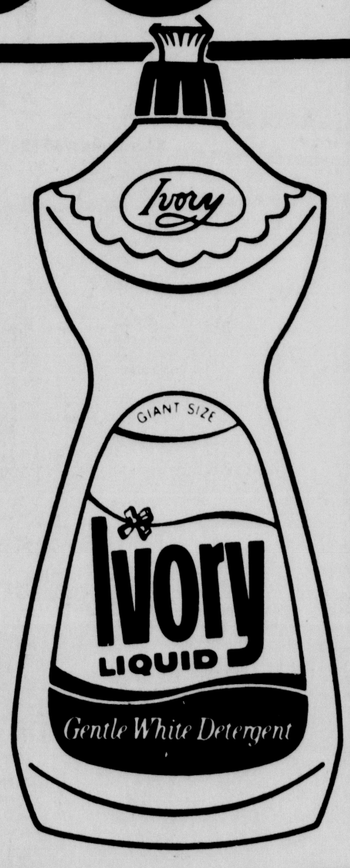


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Highlights and sidelights

JEFFERSON CITY — If the observations of some women legislators are correct, the equal rights amendment will face an uphill battle in the Missouri Legislature.

Even the sponsor of the resolution, Rep. Sue Shear (D-Clayton) senses a struggle for passage. " don't know if there's enough votes in the House to pass it," she said. "I'm going to do everything in my power to see that it passes."

The only woman in the Senate, Mary L. Gant (D-Kansas City) said the amendment's chance of passage in that body is nil. "Ray Howard (D-St. Louis) couldn't even find a sponsor in the Senate," she said.

The proposed amendment, which was passed by both houses of Congress in 1972, states that equality of rights shall not be abridged or denied on account of sex. It must be ratified by the legislatures of 38 states over the next seven years to become law. To date, 22 states have passed it.

Adoption of the proposed amendment could mean that both men and women would be eligible for the draft. In Missouri, a woman would no longer be exempt from jury duty.

Groups which support the proposed amendment include the League of Women Voters, the Women's Political Caucus, the National Organization of Women, the Communication Workers of America and Common Cause. Those groups opposed include Homemaker's United Effort and the Committee for the Protection of Women and Children.

Rep. Shear said she supported the amendment because it "reaffirms the Fourteenth Amendment. It will set a climate for change."

She said women feel threatened by the passage of this amendment because "they think everyone has to go out and compete." But, she said, it does not force a woman to go out and work if she does not want to, it only guarantees her equal opportunity on the job if she wants to work.

One of the big arguments against the amendment, Rep. Shear said, is that it will make women eligible for the draft. However, she pointed out, "women won't be serving on the front lines. They aren't capable of that because they aren't physically as strong."

Rep. Shear said she feels the amendment will help the progress of women because the Fourteenth Amendment says nothing about sex. "We have laws now that say equal pay for equal work, but the burden of proof is on the woman. This amendment reaffirms the Fourteenth Amendment with the word sex in it."

Rep. Judith O'Connor said she was advocating passage of the amendment at the beginning, but now is having doubts about it. "I'm just not sure at this point," she said. "In a lot of areas, women should receive the recognition they deserve. But I don't want to see women lose some of the advantages they now have."

One specific area she said she is concerned about is whether a woman still would be entitled to child support from a man who fathered her children and then left her. Another is the effect the proposed amendment would have on rape and right to privacy laws.

Rep. O'Connor also said she was not certain people could legislate equality on the basis of sex. "You're going to have to change the attitudes of society (toward women), but I'm not sure you can change the attitudes by passing a law."

She said she feels the proposed amendment stands less than a 50 per cent chance of passing both houses of the Legislature. The conservative trend of the Senate, as well as the conservative tradition of the state, will make passage difficult, she said.

Sen. Gant said she is opposed to the proposed amandment because it "removes the protection of the female in domestic relationships. The majority of the domestic women in my area don't want it."

She said she disagrees with the idea that a man could receive child support payments if his mate left him, and that she does not favor women being eligible for the draft.

"Women are retarding their efforts if they support this amendment," Sen. Gant said. "They're doing themselves a great injustice. Certain areas of the Social Security laws need to be changed, but I think the equal rights amendment is unnecessary."

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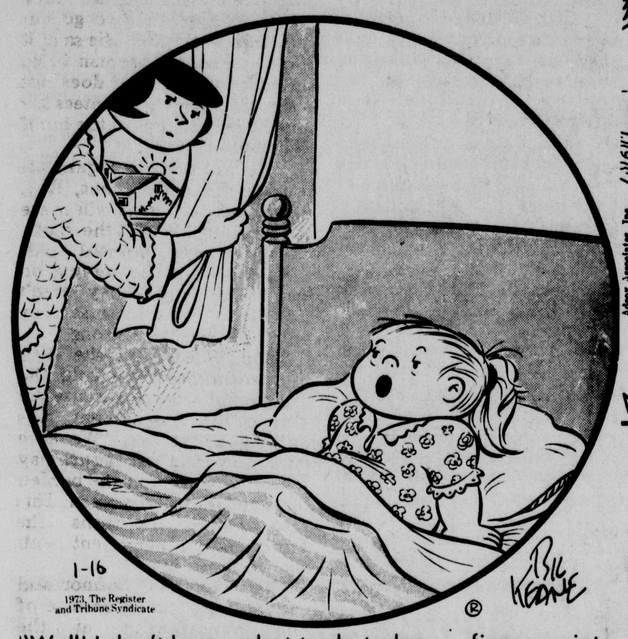
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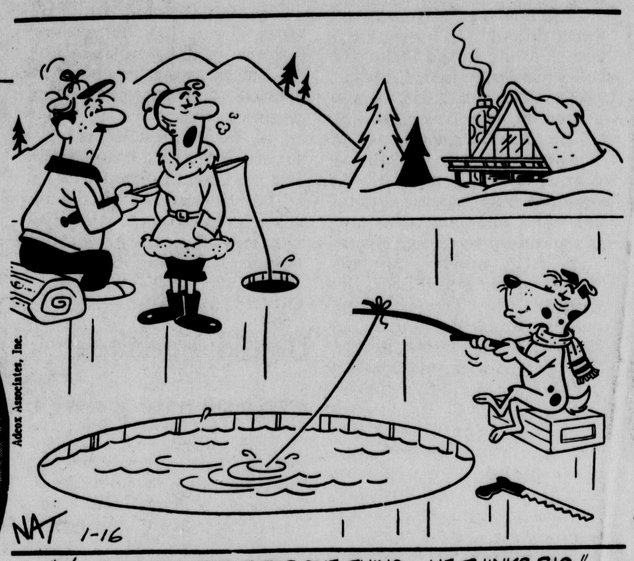
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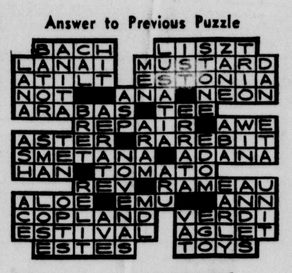
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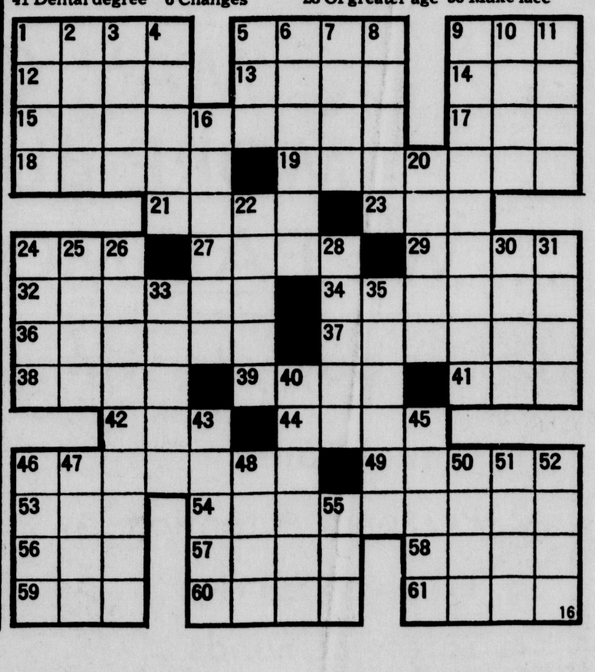
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54 Watercraft trips
56 Excavate
57 Girl's name
58 U.S. coin
59 Abstract being
60 For fear that
61 Being (Latin)

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1 Agoutilike rodent
2 Preposition
3 Dissolve
4 Medieval kingdom of France
5 Membranous pouch
6 Changes
7 Oracle
8 Cronus' son (myth.)
9 Rattled
10 Military assistant
11 Rosary part
16 Landed property
20 Heavenly body
22 Vigilant
24 Angers
25 Bull (Sp.)
26 Birds
28 Of greater age
30 Dispatch
31 Crafts
33 Fall flower
35 Weirder
40 Standards of perfection
43 Insurgent
45 Cost
46 Ocean movement
47 Precipitation
48 Burrower
50 Poems
51 Lairs
52 Italian city
55 Make lace

Answer to Previous Puzzle





STAR GAZER
By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

To develop message for Wednesday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

1 Attend	31 Works	61 An
2 Your	32 Proper	62 Error
3 Obligations	33 Back	63 Urges
4 And	34 Apparent	64 Ego
5 Change	35 Give	65 A
6 Young	36 In	66 Hand
7 Person	37 Ideas	67 Swell
8 To	38 Time	68 Social
9 Of	39 Planning	69 Interests
10 Those	40 Brings	70 To
11 Feels	41 Be	71 Romantic
12 Duties	42 Tone	72 Be
13 Slighted	43 Down	73 Modest
14 Keep	44 And	74 Tolerant
15 Increase	45 Check	75 Crystalize
16 Plans	46 Revisions	76 Evening
17 But	47 Prepared	77 Appear
18 Keep	48 Those	78 Maintain
19 In	49 For	79 Very
20 Subject	50 Now	80 Your
21 To	51 Your	81 Good
22 Errands	52 Travel	82 Results
23 That	53 Would	83 Active
24 Short	54 Study	84 Favor
25 Change	55 Require	85 Steady
26 Comings	56 Lend	86 Be
27 Money	57 Helping	87 Personal
28 Are	58 Be	88 Pace
29 Trend	59 And	89 Attention
30 Holding	60 Expensive	90 Thrifty

W10 Good · Adverse · Neutral · 1/17

ARIES MAR. 21 – APR. 19 — 35-37-38-70 / 75-78-85-88
TAURUS APR. 20 – MAY 20 — 30-33-50-53 / 58-61-62
GEMINI MAY 21 – JUNE 20 — 6- 7-11-13 / 56-57-66
CANCER JUNE 21 – JULY 22 — 5- 9-27-29 / 31-36-80-84
LEO JULY 23 – AUG. 22 — 52-54-59-68 / 69-77-79-83
VIRGO AUG. 23 – SEPT. 22 — 18-19-45-48 / 60-63-86-90
LIBRA SEPT. 23 – OCT. 22 — 42-43-51-64 / 72-73-74
SCORPIO OCT. 23 – NOV. 21 — 12-15-17-32 / 39-40-81-82
SAGITTARIUS NOV. 22 – DEC. 21 — 14-16-20-21 / 25-44-46
CAPRICORN DEC. 22 – JAN. 19 — 2- 3- 4-24 / 26-28-34
AQUARIUS JAN. 20 – FEB. 18 — 1- 8-10-22 / 23-55-87-89
PISCES FEB. 19 – MAR. 20 — 41-47-49-65 / 67-71-76

THE RYATTS by Jack Elrod



Today In History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Tuesday, Jan. 16, the 16th day of 1973. There are 349 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1920, the 18th Amendment ot the United States Constitution went into effect. Prohibition became law.

On this date:

In 1778, France recognized the independence of the United States.

In 1815, Portugal's South American colony of Brazil became a kingdom.

In 1883, the U.S. Civil serivce was formed.

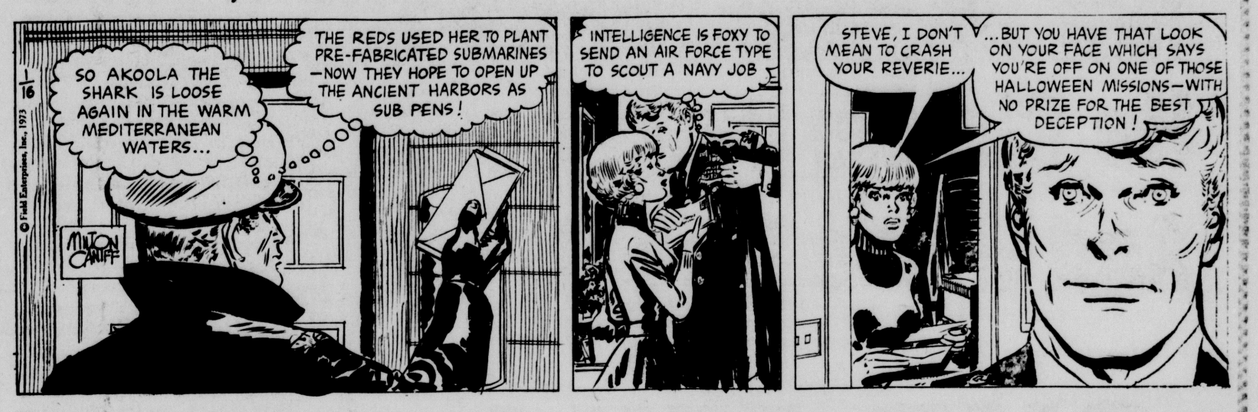
In 1893, U.S. Marines landed in Hawaii to restore order in a revolution in which the islands' monarchy was overthrown.

In 1942, screen star Carole Lombard and 21 others were killed in a plane crash near Las Vegas, Nev.

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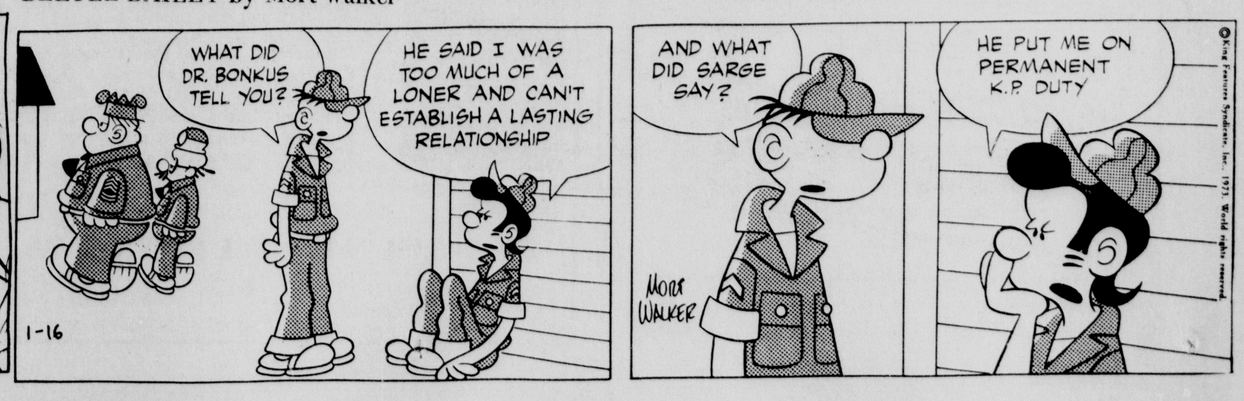
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Five Most Active

Dow Jones Industrial Averages at noon were down 2.63 on a volume of 7.90 million shares.

NYSE MOST ACTIVE:

Chrysler	39 1/8	-1/4
East. Air.	17 7/8	+1/4
Trans Am.	16 1/4	+1/2
Fly. Tiger	35 1/8	+1 1/8
Gulf Oil	27	UNC

LISTED STOCKS

Amer. Tele.	53
Anheuser Busch	54
Butler Natl	4 3/4
Champ Home Bldrs	12 1/8
Connrex	10 1/8
Cooper Tire	18 5/8
Evans Prod	23
Feld Leasing	14 3/8
Ford	77 1/2
GAF Corp.	18
Manchester Life rtMANL	12 1/8
Gen. Mtrs.	80 1/8
Interco	52
Durotesst	14 3/4
Keystone Indus	6 1/4
Malone & Hyde	34 3/4
Mid Am Gr Pl	1 1/4
Noranda Minees	41 3/4
Texaco	39 7/8
Transam.	16 1/4
Volume Shoe	22 3/4
Wetterau Foods	28 1/8

These quotations were provided at 11 a.m. today by Don Sarno, Account Executive, Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith, Inc., 220 North 4th Street, St. Louis, Mo. 63102. Call TOLL-FREE 1-800 392-3430.

Grain Market

CHICAGO (AP) — Soybean futures opened the limit of 10 cents a bushel higher on the Chicago Board of Trade today. Wheat and corn futures prices also were strong.

On the opening, soybeans were 10 cents a bushel higher, January 4.49½; wheat was 1½ to 3 cents higher, March 2.70½; corn was ½ to 1⅜ higher, March 1.56¼ and oats were ⅛ to ¼ lower, March 94¼ cents.

Pair arrested

BERNIE— Police Chief Vernon Cornelison reported today that Robert H. Gilmore and Johnny Herbert Galloway, both 19, were arrested Monday night in connection with the burglary of the Rube Poplin home on Route One Saturday morning at 1:10 a.m. A total of $110 was reported taken.

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5 treated

Five accident patients were treated Monday in the emergency room of Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

Carol Chanley, 11, East Prairie, cut left knee; Nancy Pehm, 21, Charleston, sprained left shoulder in fall. Wanda J. Copeland, 27, Sikeston, spilled hot coffee, receiving first degree burns to legs; James M. Barnes, 7, Sikeston, bruised neck in car accident; and Bruce O. Wallace, 63, Bismarck, sprained muscle.

Local Stock

	BID	ASK
1st Nat Bk of Sik	4½	5¼
Anheuser Busch	53¼	53¾
Frontier Tower	1½	2
Olson Bros	3¼	3¾
Martha Manning	2½	3
ICH Corp	8½	9
Pabst Brewing	63½	64
Downtowner	3	3½
Wetterau	28¼	28¾
LISTED STOCKS		
Allied Stores		36½
American Tel & Tel		53¼
American Motors		8¼
Calvert Exp		3¾
Chrysler		40¼
Columbia Gas		32
Eaton Mfg		40¼
Ford Motors		78½
General Motors		80½
Interstate Brands		14
Malone & Hyde		35
Mid South Util		26½
New England Elect		26¾
J. C. Penney		97½
Stelber Ind		10¾
WalMart Stores		33

EDITORS NOTE: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate price if one were a buyer.

Quotations furnished by Hugh T. McCollum, Registered Representatives for Rowland and Co. 1405 East Malone Phone 471-5350.

Demos attend Bond dinner

ST. LOUIS (AP) — There were several Democrats at a Republican fund raising dinner here Monday night.

The affair, attended by Gov. Christopher S. Bond and other Republicans who won top state offices in the Nov. 7 election, was held to raise money to pay off campaign debts. About 1,000 persons attended at $100 a plate.

Bond admitted to a reporter there is hard feeling among some Republican leaders to his appointing three Democrats to top posts. But he said he thinks it will be ironed out and pay off for the Republicans later.

"I'm delighted to have the Democrats here," Bond said. "I hope to build an administration with everyone."

One of the speakers at the dinner was Atty. Gen. John C. Danforth. He took note of the Republican complainers and chided them:

"If you want to complain, go into your bathroom and closed the doo. I'm not interested in hearing the gripes. Bond needs your continued support."

Danforth said the Republicans, now that they have captured the statehouse, must produce good, responsive government.

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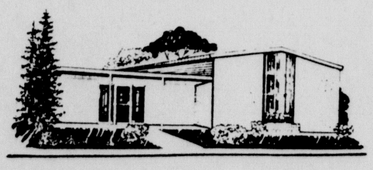
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Deaths

LILLIE COX

EAST PRAIRIE— Mrs. Lillie Collier Cox, 77, of 606 O'Bryan St. died at 1:15 a.m. today in Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston.

She was born on May 23, 1895 in Carlyle County, Ky., and had lived in Mississippi County for 36 years. She was a member of Nelson Memorial United Methodist Church. Her husband, Lindsay Cox, died on April 2, 1955.

Surviving are one son, Floyd L. Cox of East Prairie; two daughters, Mrs. Lynn Edith Farquhar of East Prairie and Mrs. Faye Tietjen of Jefferson City; one half sister, Mrs. Elmis Clark of Hickman, Ky.; and 10 grandchildren and 12 great- grandchildren.

The body is at Shelby Funeral Home in East Prairie where arrangements are incomplete.

ETHEL CARBIN

Ethel L. Carbin, 72, of West Memphis, Ark., died at 6:30 p.m. Saturday at Sikeston in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lottie Nabors, after an illness of several months.

She was born on Nov. 3, 1900 at Ware, Miss.

Others surviving are one son, Lincoln Carbin of Chicago and 14 grandchildren and 17 great- grandchildren.

Services are scheduled at noon Wednesday with the Rev. J.W. Gwin officiating.

Dotson Funeral Home of Sikeston is in charge of arrangements.

JAMES M. TWITTY

DUDLEY — James Marion Twitty, 56, died at his home Monday.

He was born in Truman, Ark., on Nov. 24, 1916. He had lived in Dudley for 15 years. On Aug. 9, 1956, he married Mary Mae Powell Dowdy, who survives.

Other survivors include, one daughter, Mrs. Dean Ceary of Eddywall, Ark.; four stepdaughters, Wilma Lee Gilmore, JoAnn Dowdy, Rosemary Dowdy and Dianne Dowdy of Muskegon, Mich.; one stepson, William Dowdy of Muskegon; one brother, Johnny Twitty of Alton; one sister, Mrs. Muriel Danour of Chicago; and three grandchildren.

Friends may call at Watkins and Sons Funeral Home in Dexter where services are scheduled Wednesday at 2 p.m. The Rev. Boyd Morgan of Paragould, Ark., will officiate.

Burial will be in Dudley Cemetery.

ALICE PRUETT

DEXTER — Services for Mrs. Alice Pruett, 84, who died at 6:10 p.m. Saturday at Dexter Memorial Hospital, were conducted at 1:30 p.m. today at Chiles- Cooper Funeral Home in Bloomfield. The Rev. John Walker, pastor of Trinity United Methodist Church in Bloomfield, officiated.

Burial was in West Pleasant Valley Cemetery.

Mrs. Pruett was a lifetime Stoddard County resident, and was born Aug. 5, 1888 at Acorn Ridge.

She spent her childhood there and attended Skelton School.

In 1908 she married Owen Vernon Rhodes, who died in 1955. In July 1965, she married Oscar Pruett, who survives.

Mrs. Pruett was a member of West Pleasant Valley United Methodist Church.

Other survivors are one son, Clayton Rhodes of Bloomfield; one daughter, Mrs. Robert McDonald, of San Lorenzo, Calif.; two brothers, Fred Skelton of Puxico and Bill Skelton of Lancaster, Calif.; two sisters, Mrs. Bertha Baker, of Winter Haven, Fla., and Mrs. Leon Varble of Puxico; and four grandchildren and four great- grandchildren.

JULIA BELL ALLEN

WYATT — Mrs. Julia Bell Allen, 74, died at 10:20 p.m. Sunday at her home following an illness of more than a year.

Born May 5, 1898 in Mississippi, the former Miss Julia Bell Williams was married in 1923 to Eugene Allen, who survives.

She was a member of Holly Grove Baptist Church and a resident of Mississippi County since 1923.

Other survivors are two stepdaughters, Mrs. Irene Martin of Pontiac, Mich., and Mrs. Ernestine Jackson of Detroit, Mich.; and four stepgrandchildren and five great- step grandchildren.

The body is at Sparks Funeral Home at Charleston where friends may call Wednesday afternoon and night.

Services will be at 1 p.m. Thursday in Holly Grove Baptist Church with the Rev. A. L. Shavers, pastor, officiating.

Burial will be in Oak Grove Cemetery at Charleston.

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said "you can't shoot all the sharks in the sea, but you can shoot as many as you can."

The State Health Board would go under the Agriculture Department, and Cason conceded a case could be made for putting it in the Consumer Affairs department.

There would be a director of agriculture instead of the commission, as now. The director would appoint a head of the Division of Fruit Experiment Stations and director of the Division of Poultry Production. The Board of Trustees of the Experiment Stations and the State Poultry Board would be abolished.

The weights and measures functions of the Agriculture Department would be transferred to the department of consumer affairs.

The Department of Conservation would remain as it is now except for losing the Park Board, which would supervise the parks division in the Department of Natural Resources.

Created in the Department of Natural Resources would be the Division of Geological Survey and Water Resources, Boat Commission, State Land Survey Authority, Land Reclamation Commission, Commission On Soil and Water Districts, Air Conservation Commission, Kansas-Missouri Air Quality Commission, Clean Water Division, Water Resources Division, State Oil and Gas Council and State Interagency Council for Outdoor Recreation.

The governor would appoint members of the Kansas-Missouri Air Quality Commission and the Department of Natural Resources director would make all other appointments.

Partly because no statutory revision would be needed since the Board of Education now supervises junior colleges as well as elementary schools, the junior colleges would go under the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education.

Volkmer's bill would put junior colleges under supervision of the Department of Higher Education. A State Division of Libraries would take the place of the Library Commission and would be in the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education.

A nine-member coordinating board to be appointed by the governor drew much discussion over its authority to withhold funds.

Cason said the new board could withhold funds for grants if it didn't approve of a particular program in a university, but the university would still get is appropriation directly from the legislature.

Under the bill, the coordinating board in the Department of Higher Education would have no authority to confer the title "university" to an institution.

The coordinating board would define resident student status and set up up guidelines for new programs and determine student transfer rules. No more than five of the members could be from one political party and a congressional district could not have more than one representative.

In addition, an advisory board would serve at the behest of the coordinating board. The bill says the coordinating board could hold executive, or closed, sessions.

Spradling offered an amendment to give the coordinating board 90 days to select its executive director, rather than having the person picked at the first meeting.

In the Department of Highways, the Highway Commission would be retained and would appoint the chief engineer, who now is appointed by the governor.

All bridge compact commissions would be in this department. The highway patrol would go under the Department of Public Safety. The governor would appoint Highway Commission members.

The Department of Transportation would have a six-member commission appointed by the governor.

The commission would appoint the state transportation director. The new department would have power of condemnation and could receive and spend federal funds on transportation other than on highways.

It would have a Division of Aviation that would advise metroplitan aviation authorities and would assume aviation duties now in the division of industry and commer.

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research, Medical Service Programs and public education.

Mothers may volunteer by telephoning 472- 0072, the local chapter of the March of Dimes.

Mrs. Turner said this year's goal is $4,000.

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commission that federal grant money might be available to pay for part of the expansion.

The commission also recommended the rezoning of Third Street 200 feet north of Smith Street to Hart Street, from single family to multi- family.

The change will allow Rev. R. C. Martin of the Smith Street Church of God to build a housing unit for elderly people. Martin described the proposed structure, still in the planning stages, as a place for older people who don't need special care.

He said the rent would be nominal and that the primary purpose of the home was not to make money, but to provide a place for older people to live.

A large area of the L-shaped lot would be set aside as a park for the residents.

Martin stressed the home is his program, not the church's. The board will hold a special meeting Jan. 29 to discuss the revenue-expenditure study.

Bond creates emergency force

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Gov. Christopher S. Bond has set up a Governor's Energy Emergency Task Force to deal with Missouri's winter fuel shortage.

"The fuel shortage that occurred last week at the State Hospital at Fulton illustrated the need for a state agency that could act quickly in such an emergency," the governor said. "The governor's energy emergency task force will provide that necessary capability."

In his executive order Monday, which expires May 1, Bond said his office needs to assess consumer fuel needs, fuel distribution within the state, identify and act on special fuel problems when they arise and develop measures for energy conservation.

He appointed these members of the energy task force:

Hugh A. Sprague, the governor's legal assistant; Walter W. Novotny Jr., an assistant attorney general; Col. James B. Bash, coordinator of disaster operations of the adjutant general's office; Herbert Damron, director of the Division of Purchasing;

Omar Runge, director of the Division of General Services; Henry Maddox, director of the Division of Commerce and Industrial Development; Marvin E. Jones, chairman of the Public Service Commission; John O. Richey, chief engineer of the Public Service Commission;

Wallace B. Howe, state geologist; and Elgin Booker, supervisor of the Bureau of Motor Fuel and LP Gas Tax.

Weather bad again, farmers work one day

COLUMBIA, Mo. (AP) — Bad weather cut into Missouri's crop harvests again last week, with only one day suitable for field work on a statewide average.

The state Crop and Livestock Reporting Service said Monday wheat continued in fair to good condition, and topsoil mositure remained surplus in all areas.

Precipitation was light over the state, but snow fell early in the week, covering the western half of the state with a blanket of 4-5 inches of dry, fluffy snow.

Fourteen per cent of the corn crop remained in the field with only one per cent harvested last week. That harvest was most advanced in the northern third of the state and the boothell region.

By Saturday 83 per cent of the soybean crop had been harvested statewide—a 3 per cent increase over the previous week. Slow progress was reported in the southern third of the state.

grain sorghum was 86 per cent harvested, up 2 per cent from the previous week's level.

By the weekend 13 per cent of the cotton crop remained unpicked—with only 2 per cent harvested last week.



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Rams dump Chaffee

EAST PRAIRIE — The Scott- Mississippi County conference tournament opened Monday night at East Prairie with the Scott County Central B-team defeating Chaffee 60-59 in the first game. Fourth- seeded Chaffee then was dumped by the Illmo- Scott City Rams in the lone A-game 72-57. Third- seeded Oran wound up the action by taking a win over East Prairie 67-51 in another B-game bout.

Chaffee B-teamers pulled out to a seven- point lead during the first quarter, scoring 18 to the Braves' 11. Scott Central closed the gap during the second quarter and trailed 29-25 at halftime.

Scott Central came back from intermission and began a hot streak. The Braves dumped in 21 markers to come from behind and led the Red Devils by one point. Fourth- quarter scoring was tied at 14-all to leave Scott Central the winner.

Greg Pete had 16 points for his effort for the Braves. Jeff Jackson and Bill Williams followed with 12 each and Dean Pete added 11.

David McConnell led Chaffee with 21 markers and Tim Spencer came up with 11.

Illmo- Scott City held onto a first- quarter lead the entire game en route to the win over the fourth- seeded Chaffee varsity. Rand Amick dumped in 25 points to earn scoring honors for the Rams. Mike Schaefer followed with 13.

Chaffee got off to a bad start and slipped behind at the end of first- quarter action 17-10. The Red Devils failed to make any headway during the second frame and were down 34-23 at the half.

The Rams held the lead without much trouble in the third quarter. In the final quarter, both teams scored in the 20s but Chaffee did not have enough to pull out the win.

Scott Thomas led Chaffee with 20 markers while Pete Dooley hit 17.

Third- seeded Oran won over East Prairie in the final B- game. East Prairie ran into cold shooting during the first frame and Oran moved out to an 18-10 edge. The Eagles maintained the lead at halftime, 33-25.

Oran opened a 51-38 edge in the third frame and coasted to the win.

Ronnie Hurst hit 16 points for Oran. Tom Dirnberger followed with 13. Darrell Davenport was high for East Prairie with 18 markers and Tony High scored 15.

Tournament action tonight will see an A-game starting at 6 o'clock with Oran battling Delta. Delta's B-team will go against the Illmo- Scott City Rams at 7:30 and, in the final game, East Prairie will take on Scott Central in another A-game.

Scoring:
CHAFFEE (59)
McConnell 21, Crader 7, Newcomer 2, Spencer 11, Whitaker 9, Daughtery 7, Harrell 2. Totals: FG-20; FT-19; PF-15
SCOTT CENTRAL (60)
Jackson 12, G. Pete 16, D. Pete 11, Bevens 2, Porter 4, Williams 12, Windfield 3. Totals: FG-27; FT-6; PF-21.
Score by Quarters:
Chaffee 18 11 16 14—59
Scott Cennt. 11 14 21 14—60
CHAFFEE (57)
Dooley 17, Thomas 20, Choate 3, Scheeter 4, Vickery 9, Richbourg 2, Eichhorn 2. Totals: FG-21; FT-15; PF-19.
ILLMO-
SCOTT CITY (72)
Hillman 7, Gentry 9, Amick 25, Springs 4, Varnon 2, Schaefer 13, Wadlington 4, Crews 2, Killian 4, Dannenmuellar 2. Totals: FG-30; FT-12; PF-23.

Score by Quarters:
Chaffee 10 13 14 20—57
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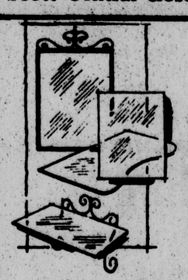
ORAN (67)
Hurst 16, Dirnberger 13, Sclosser 9, Taylor 6, Anderson 6, Campbell 8, Hamm 4, Diebold 2, Atkinson 3. Totals: FG-27; FT-13; PF-20.

EAST PRAIRIE (51)
Davenport 18, Logdon 6, Williford 4, High 15, Marks 2, Mars 3, Tyus 2, Wood 1. Totals: FG-18; FT-15; PF-17.
Score by Quarters:
Oran 18 15 18 16—67
E. Prairie 10 15 13 13—51

High School Basketball

HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL
Monday's Results
Scott- Mississippi County Tourney.
Scott Central 60, Chaffee 59, (B-team)
Illmo - Scott City 72, Chaffee 57 (A-team)
Oran 67, East Prairie 51 (B-team)
Tuesday's Schedule
Oran vs. Delta (6:00) (A-team)
Delta vs. Illmo - Scott City (7:30) (B-team)
East Prairie vs. Scott Central (9:00) (A-team)
Perryville Invitational Tournament
Jackson vs. Perryville (6:00)
Meadow Heights vs. College High (7:30)
St. Vincent vs. Coulterville, Ill. (9:00)
Regular Schedule
Fredericktown at Richland
Bunker at Van Buren
Lesterville at Ellisnore
Risco at Cooter
Bloomfield at Dexter
Leopold at Zalma
Leadwood at Farmington
Potosi at Ste. Genevieve
Twin Rivers at Malden
Kennett at Senath - Hornersville
Summerville at Eminence
Doniphan at Neelyville
Lilbourn at Charleston
Fox of Arnold at Hillsboro
Clarkton at Delta C-7
Gideon at Holcomb
North Pemiscot at Hayti
Naylor at Alton
Puxico at Bell City
Hartville at Liberty
South Pemiscot at Caruthersville
Portageville at Southland
Valley of Caledonia at Bismarck
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Bulldog matmen chew up bearcats

DEXTER— Dexter Bearcat matmen fell victim to the Sikeston Bulldog wrestlers for the second time this season Monday night, 43- 18.

Coach John Heacox's crew took three pins and four decisions along with two forfeits to win its fifth dual match of the season in six outings.

The Bearcats forfeited the 98- pound and heavyweight divisions to Steve Nowell and Bill Harlow respectively to put 12 points up for the SHS crew and a lead that was never threatened.

Tom Bridger, Sikeston's undefeated 105- pounder, started the varsity competition by beating Gant in a 6- 0 decision. Bridger has now won 12 matches this season and 17 straight in his career.

In the 112- pound division, Scott Hutchison ran his record to 11- 0 by pinning Denson of the Bearcats. It was also Hutchison's eighth pin of the season in 11 matches.

Jim Huff upped the team score to 24- 0 by beating Richey 9- 0 in the 119- pound division. Huff was outweighed 10 pounds by his opponent.

Phil Stinson, wrestling in the 126- pound division for the Bulldogs, beat Lemmons 5- 0 in one of the better matches of the evening.

Bill Lewis tallied six points to the growing Sikeston victory margin as he pinned Dexter's 132- pounder Satterfield.

Lee Vaughn rolled up a 15- 2 win over Hampton of the Bearcats in the 138- pound division and 145- pounder John Ralph followed by pinning Renfro.

In the 155, 167 and 185- pound divisions, the SHS grapplers ran into tough competition in Smith, Dement and England. The DHS trio collected successive pins over DeRoush, Blankenship and Moore.

The Sikeston jayvees also won their match over the Dexter jayvees, 36- 22, on three forfeits by Dexter and pins by Grimes, Crabb and Burns.

District and regional sites for wrestling were announced last week. The Bulldogs will compete with Cape Central and eight St. Louis area squads in Class L district action at Arnold Feb. 2- 3. Regional competition is scheduled the following weekend at Ladue of St. Louis.

Four wrestlers will advance from district competition in each weight class to the regionals. The top two wrestlers in each division from regionals will then advance to the state tournament at Columbia Feb. 16- 17.

The Bulldogs will be sharpening up for district competition in other action this week when they take on the Ste. Genevieve Dragons Thursday night and Fox High School of Arnold in a Saturday afternoon bout. Both matches will be away from home.

Results:
98- pound— Nowell won by forfeit
105- pound— Bridger beat Gant 6- 0
112- pound— Hutchison pinned Denson
119- pound— Huff beat Richey 9- 0
126- pound— Stinson beat Lemmons 5- 0
132- pound— Lewis pinned Satterfield
138- pound— Vaughn beat Hampton 15- 2
145- pound— Ralph pinned Renfro
155- pound— DeRoush pinned by Smith
167- pound— Blankenship pinned by Dement
185- pound— Moore pinned by England
Heavyweight— Harlow won by forfeit

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Jordan rips nets for 32

LESTERVILLE — The Lesterville Bearcats, led by the hot shooting of Ron Jordan, took a win over Bourbon 86-76 Monday night in a make-up game. Jordan ripped the cords for 32 points. Jerry Pinkley followed with 23 and Bill Bennett added 17.

Lesterville gained a slight edge over the Warhawks in the first quarter, 20-18. During the second frame, the Bearcats gained a basket on Bourbon and led at half time, 47-43.

Coming back from intermission, the bearcats kept up their consistent shooting and opened their lead on Bourbon. In the final frame, Bourbon could not come up with enough shots to pull out win.

Stan Reiner hit 29 markers to lead Bourbon. Bruce Nilges came up with 19 and J. C. Springer had 13. Dave Scaggs added 10 points.

Lesterville also won the B-game 37-33. Scoring honors were shared by Richie Dement and Larry Fitzgerald of Lesterville, both hitting 10 points. Bill Bohnankamp put in 15 markers for Bourbon.

Scoring:
LESTERVILLE (86)
Bennett 17, Crocker 8, Hensen 6, Jordan 32, Pinkley 23, Totals: Fg-31; FT-24; PF-13
BOURBON (76)
King 1, Springer 13, Reiner 24, Richards 4, Scaggs 10, Nilges 19. Totals: FG-32; Ft-12; PF-22
Score By Quarters:
Lesterville 20 27 24 15 86
Bourbon 18 25 15 18 76

Colorado upsets Missouri

KANSAS CITY (AP) — "On a given day, any team can beat any other team ..."

That's what the coaches almost always say, and Monday night, the coaches' philosophy looked awfully good on two Big Eight Conference basketball fronts.

To say it in a nutshell, Colorado upset eighth-ranked Missouri 81-79 in overtime, and Nebraska upset Oklahoma 74-67.

The defeats were the second in as many conference games for both the Tigers and the Sooners and left Missouri, a team that was supposed to give Kansas State a run for its 1972 title, and Oklahoma, a championship darkhorse, struggling in the league basement.

Colorado had to overcome an 11-point first half deficit and four Missouri leads in the overtime period to beat the Tigers, 12-2. The Buffs finally got ahead for good on Pat Kelly's shot from the top of the circle.

Lee Haven made six Colorado points in the overtime and 28 points for the game, and teammate Scott Wedman added 23. John Brown hit for 28 for Missouri. Steve Blind's 25-foot shot with 48 seconds left pulled the Tigers into a 72-72 deadlock, forcing the game into overtime.

"They hurt us inside," said Missouri Coach Norm Stewart. "They killed us inside. We made mistakes, missed shots, missed free throws, threw the ball away.

"It was a disappointing loss. We'll see how we react to that. We're going to take some time off ... Tuesday and Wednesday. We were a little tight and tired."

Colorado is 5-8 over-all and 11 in the conference.

Nebraska trailed the Sooners all the way until Lee Harris bucketed a 20-foot jumper with four minutes, 47 seconds remaining to give the Cornhuskers a 50-48 advantage, one they never lost.

Oklahoma shut the Huskers out the first three minutes and took a 10-0 lead. Harris wound up with 22 points and led the furious second half comeback but Oklahoma freshman Alvan Adams topped all scorers with 23.

Sooner Coach John MacLeod said, "Mistakes hurt us. Nebraska did as good a job against Adams as anyone has this year."

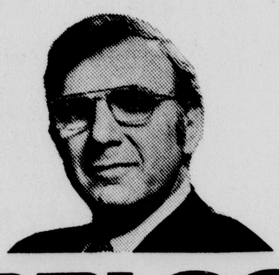
Joe Cipriano, the Husker coach, said, "This is what we needed because we know now we can beat good teams, and Oklahoma is a good ball club. Harris did an excellent job and made some key steals although he is still fighting the flu."

Nebraska has broken even in two conference games and has a 6-8 record over-all. Oklahoma's mark against all foes is 9-4.

All Big Eight teams are idle until Saturday.

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Squirrels face lean winter

COLUMBIA — Missouri squirrels, after a summer of fat living, now face the grim realities of winter and it almost certainly will make a difference in squirrel hunting in 1973.

The pickings are lean. Acorns, which are a staple item in a Missouri squirrel's diet, are off greatly in production over 1972 in most of the heavily forested areas of Missouri.

In northern and western Missouri, largely prairie, the acorn crop is better but not a staple food. The heart of the squirrel woods is the Ozarks and there the acorn picture is poor.

"We rate our mast crops on a basis of 300 points being perfect, says Don Christisen, game biologist for the Department of Conservation. "No season ever is perfect. From 226 points on up is excellent. In the Ozarks this year, the overall index was 153 points for the black oaks and 111 for the white oaks."

Squirels favor hickory nuts first and attack them early in the fall. "That's the ice cream nut crop for squirrels," Christen says. "After that, they'll move on to the white oaks, the so-called sweet mast, then will wind up with the red and black oaks which contain a higher concentration of tannin and are more bitter."

Nature provides a built-in timetable for squirrel food. White oak acorns may sprout within days of landing on the ground, but the black and red oaks, which are left by squirrels until last, do not sproud until springtime.

"The situation this year in the forest region found the black oaks off 41 points from 1971 and the white oaks off 33 points, which is significant," Christisen says.

Overall, the mast index was almost the same as the 1971 index -- but it was distributed differently, with fewer nuts in the heavy forrests and more in the scattered woodlands. The forest index was only 114, rated fair, while the prairie region had an index of 157 or good.

Best producing nut tree was the pecans with an index of 191, but squirrels have to be quick to beat people to the pecan crop, an important forest crop in Missouri.

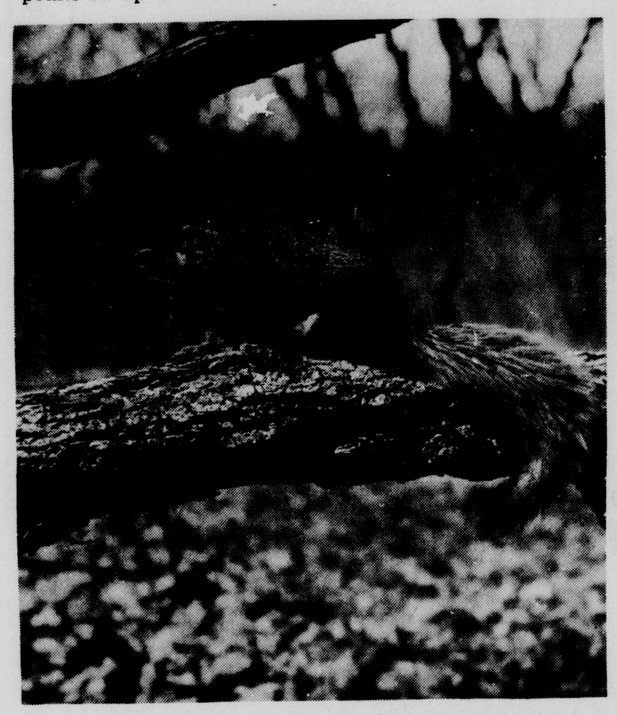
Even though the 1971 mast production in the oaks, hickories, pecans and walnuts was particularly down in the prairie region from the 1970 index which was the best in five years, squirrel production was excellent in the spring of 1972 and hunters benefitted.

Some of the south-central Ozark counties had exceptional squirrel hunting and overall, the state showed a fine season. Christisen sends out between 500 and 700 hunter survey booklets every year to avid squirrel hunters.

"These are not the occasional hunters" he says. "These are hunters who go regularly. And my information indicates that the popularity of squirrel hunting is as great as it ever was. It's a popular misconseption that squirrel hunting is a dying art -- but it just isn't so.

"Squirrel hunters aren't as visible as many other hunters. Many of them just step out the back door and head for the woods. They don't leave a truck or a car along the road as a sign of their presence. And many of them are solitary hunters. Squirrel hunting isn't a social sport, like quail hunting for example."

Squirrels generally have two litters a year, one in February and the other in the middle of the summer. The average litter size is three young. Christisen thinks when winter food is poor (as is expected in 1972-73), squirrels are not in condition to produce as heavily the next breeding season.



Bad squirrel year

A rare sight this year will be squirrels with nuts in their mouths. Missouri nut producing trees had an off year in 1972 and squirrels will be among the wildlife, which depend on nuts for food, expected to suffer in 1973. (Department of Conservation photo)



Wins U.S. Title

John Lawson, right, Poplar Bluff's city park superintendent, is presented an award naming him Public Recreation Man - of - the Year in the United States. Making the presentation is Sam Giambelluca, an official of the Amateur Athletic Union of the United States, which sponsors the award. Lawson as recognized for his "outstanding recreation program" and his work with the AAU, which included the first AAU Junior Olympic national basketball championships held in Poplar Bluff last summer and other regional and national AAU events held during the past year.

New Madrid tourney set

PORTAGEVILLE — Basketball action in the New Madrid County Tournament will get under way next Monday and run through Jan. 26.

B-team action will open tourney play at 5:30 p.m. Monday with the Lilbourn Panthers going up against host Portageville. The second and third games of first night play will be A-team affairs.

In the second game at 7 p.m. the New Madrid Indians will battle the Risco Tigers. The teams will go into tourney play evenly matched, as both have season records of 4-9. The game could very well be a night for sophomores. New Madrid sophomore standout Steve Glenn has been having a good season so far, and could carry the win with the help of Vernon Collins. Andy Smelser of Risco is also having a successful sophomore year. Darrell Wilson is another high-scoring player for the Tigers.

The Lilbourn Panthers are pitted against Parma in the third opening- night game. Lilbourn's 10-1 record overshadows that of the Pirates who now stand at 8-6. The Panthers are also rated No. 3 in The Daily Standard's Top Ten ratings which gives them a decisive edge.

Lilbourn has brought a freshman onto the squad in the past month. Frankie Robinson has shown his shooting talents in several games and has helped pull the Panthers through to victory. Grant Dambach, a senior, and Carl Meadows, a junior, have also come through for Lilbourn.

Leading players for Parma are Rufus Barnes and Mike Nichols. Barnes is a junior with a good scoring average, and Nichols, in his last year for the Pirates, has done an outstanding job.

College Basketball

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EAST

Fairleigh Dickinson 73, Bridgeport 58

Fairfield 71, Colgate 53

Fla. Sou. 93, Wm. Patterson 67

SOUTH

Ky St. 80, Georgetown, Ky. 73

SW Louisiana 96, Abilene Christian 70

Auburn 82, Miss. St. 77

Tulane 58, UNC-Charlotte 55

Jacksonville 94, Pan American 64

NE Louisiana 78, Wichita St. 77

Tenn. Tech 96, W. Ky. 90, OT

Tennessee 75, Florida 56

Kentucky 89, Georgia 68

Alabama 104, Trinity, Tex. 63

Ohio St. 85, Georgia Tech 79

Tenn. St. 83, Central St. 68

MIDWEST

Colorado 81, Missouri 79, OT

Michigan St. 76, Iowa 74

Nebraska 74, Oklahoma 67

Old Dominion 79, Cinci. Xavier 76

Bowling Green 76, Ball St. 74

E. Illinois 81, Athletes in Action 70

SOUTHWEST

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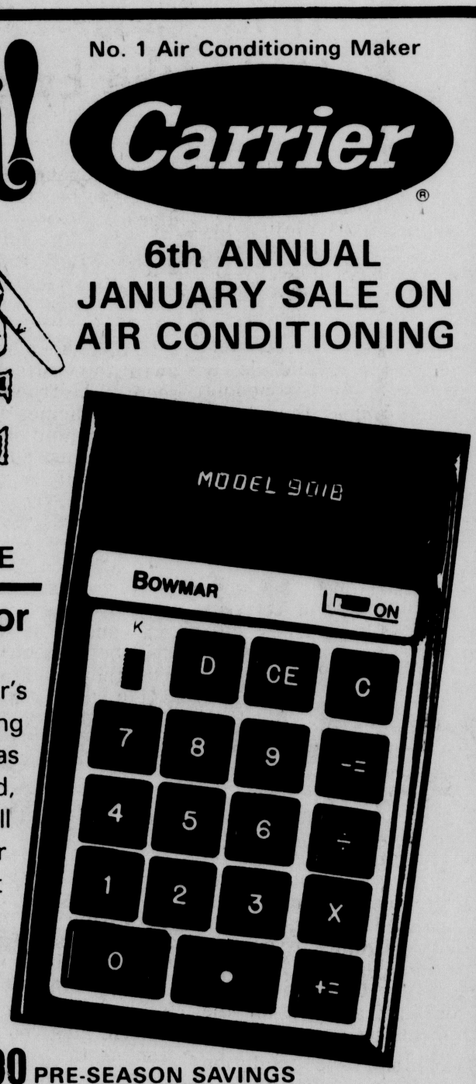
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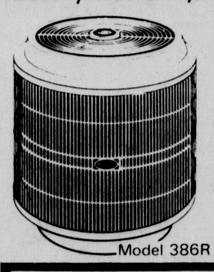
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Prospect Is Grim For Any Progress

By BRUCE BIOSSAT

WASHINGTON (NEA)

A kind of dismal pall hangs over this captial as a new Congress gets to work and President Nixon prepares for his second term. January, symbolically, is the month of fresh hope. Yet the signs of it are not visible.

Even the renewed prospect of a Vietnam war settlement doesn't help much. It has been anticipated for so long that, when it finally comes, we will very likely find that it gives us very little lift at all.

Liberals who have argued for years that Vietnam stood in the way of virtually all home front progress will be placed, uncomfortably in the bright glare.

Over-promisers without equal, they will be stripped of all excuse and asked to deliver. But deliver what?

The massive health care program the nation seems so badly to need? Sen. Edward Kennedy, a chief proponent of such a program, sees no hope for passage by Congress this year, though he has been actively trying to build pressure for it for at least two years.

The rebuilding of the cities? Here the glibness of the liberals has really entrapped them. The phrase rolls easily off the tongues of the romantics. But the fact is they don't have the vaguest idea how to accomplish the task.

Even a superficial tour of half a dozen of our largest cities is quickly sobering. Housing is deteriorating. Streets are pocked. Ordinary services are performed erratically at best. The response to crime has been to convert many homes, apartments, stores and other living and working places into minor fortresses under constant guard. Rebuilding the cities, in body and spirit, looks like the task of a half a century rather than half a presidential term as Sen. George McGovern appeared to be suggesting in his campaign.

But if the liberals' barrenness of fresh thought is near to being exposed in early 1973, what about Richard Nixon?

He may have gained crushing re-election by behaving in a "presidential manner" in the foreign field he loves so much. Yet, against a rival who struck U.S. voters as "presidential" in no way, the President's triumph may have been deceptively easy.

He could be reading the signals wrong if, as some of his friends hint, he imagines he can make his second term a duplicate of the first.

True, he won't be standing for election again, and won't have to take any personal heat if he, too, fails to deliver on the home front.

But we are not today in a time of foreign crisis such as marked Harry Truman's regime and is persuading many to overlook Truman's serious domestic failures. We have a more balanced mix of problems, and Americans unmistakably want some kind of real movement at home.

Thus Mr. Nixon may risk more than some observers think if he does not apply strong influence in such areas as welfare and tax reform. Why? For one thing, historians surely will see that the mix is different, and judge Mr. Nixon across the board. For a second, the President owes allegiance to the "system," not just to his image in history.

The time may not be right for broad health care, but it is clearly right for action on welfare and taxes. Some specialists argue that a president needs a second term to let such issues mature and then move at last to act upon them, Mr. Nixon now has that chance. Not to deliver may be to do grave harm to the presidency as an instrument for effective action on today's puzzling home front. As the year dawns, hope is thin.



DR. LAWRENCE E. LAMB

What Causes Bags Under the Eyes?

By Lawrence Lamb, M.D.

Dear Dr. Lamb—This may not seem important to you, but it is to me. How can you get rid of bags under your eyes? I've tried many things. What causes these?

Dear Reader—Directly underneath the eyelid is a small bag of fat. As people get older, unless they have remained very thin, this bag of fat increases in size leading to the typical baggy appearance that disturbs some people. Of course, with the enlargement of the bag of fat, the skin of the lower eyelid is stretched. The only satisfactory way of correcting this problem is by cosmetic surgery.

An incision is made along the rim of the lower eyelid just at the base of the eyelashes. With a little pressure beneath the eyeball, the bag of fat is literally popped out and excised. The excess skin is then removed and the incision sutured. It usually requires several months to regain full normal movement of the lower eyelid, since the muscles normally associated with the eyelid closure are attached to the skin in this region and are cut in the course of the operation.

Transitory accumulation of small amounts of fluid will also cause bags temporarily. This is more prominent in the morning and usually disappears by noon unless there is an associated medical problem.

Dear Dr. Lamb—My husband is a faithful reader of your column and would like to know this. He takes vitamin capsules and chews them. I have told him they will dissolve if he swallows them whole, and he will get the same benefit. He cannot accept that answer. He chews any pill or capsule and does not believe they can dissolve themselves, but that they go undigested through your system. Please explain the truth.

Dear Reader—Pills are designed to be dissolved in the digestive tract. The coating on them, including vitamin pills and capsules, is usually there to save you from having to experience their terrible taste. While it isn't true that medicines have to taste awful to be effective, it does seem to be true that a lot of good medicines taste pretty bad, inciuding some vitamin preparations. Some pills are coated with a material to keep them from being dissolved in the stomach. This is because the types of chemicals in the pills might be destroyed by the acid digestive juices in the stomach, and it is desired that they be protected from this until they reach the intestine which is more alkaline. These are called enteric coated pills or capsules.

There are some pills that don't dissolve well in the digestive tract and might pass through without adequate absorption. This is a result of faulty preparation, if it should occur, and to my knowledge no pharmaceutical houses are intentionally making pills of this type.

Some pills should be chewed, but usually the doctor will give you this instruction or they will be on the prescription, or it will be on the bottle if it happens to be something you can buy yourself. As an illustration, many of the antacid tablets are chewed so that they will provide the most immediate and effective neutralizing action of the acid in the stomach. I think it's safe to say that your husband can swallow his vitamin pills and other pills and feel assured he will receive the full benefit from them.

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Legal rights few for illegetimates

No crueler example of the Old Testament admoniton (Exodus 20:5) that the sins of the fathers shall be visited upon the children can be found today than in society's treatment of illegitimate children-- the offspring of unwed parents. These unfortunate waifs are far more likely than other infants to become delinquent, homosexual, or neurotic. Many are welfare recipients almost from birth.

Despite the increased availability and effectiveness of contraceptives, and the liberalized attitude toward abortion in some areas, the rate of illegitimate births in the United States has tripled since 1940. The number born between 1961 and 1970 was equal to the population of the city of Los Angeles. By 1980, it is estimated that 400,000 illegitimate children a year will be born in this country.

The legal disabilities that long have plagued illegitimate children may have disappeared by then. Five years ago, the U.S. Supreme Court ruled that it was unconstitutional for a state to deny an illegitimate child the right to recover damages for the wrongful death of his mother. Last year, the court began to expand the rights of the illegitimate child in relation to his father. It held that a state could not deny such acknowledged children the right to receive a deceased father's workmen's compensation payments.

"Why should the illegitimate child be denied rights merely because of his birth out of wedlock?" asked Justice William O. Douglas in the 1968 opinion. He noted that the marital status of one's parents did not affect an American's responsibility to pay taxes and be subject to the draft. In the more recent case, Justice Lewis F. Powell Jr. wrote for the court: "No child is responsible for his birth, and penalizing an illegitimate child is an ineffectual-- as well as unjust-- way of deterring the parent."

Displaying his strict-constructionist colors, Justice William H. Rehnquist disagreed with Powell and the rest of the court, asserting that he could not find an illegitimate child's right to compensation benefits mentioned in the Constitution.

Now before the court are cases which attack Texas laws obliging a father to support his legitimate, but not his illegitimate, children and denying the illegitimate offspring the right to sue the father for support.

The right of every child-- regardless of his "legitimacy" to the support of his father was recognized more than a centry ago by the British jurist and legal scholar, Sir William Blackstone. Some states, such as Texas, have not yet come that far. Critics of laws like those of Texas point to them as a major reason for the economic deprivation and related hardships suffered by many illegitimate children.

Arizona and Oregon have abolished the concept of illegitimacy altogether by allowing a child born out of wedlock the same rights of support and inheritance as the child of married parents. After the 1968 Supreme Court decision, Missouri reversed its posture on the issue and now requires every father to support his child, legitimate or not.

Possibly these hapless children will at last be caught up in the sweep of the civil rights movement. This would be only fitting, according to Harry D. Krause, author of Illegitimacy: Law and Social Policy (1971). It is his contention that laws penalizing illegitimate birth stem from the same source as those that have held back women and racial minorities-- prejudice, pure and simple.

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Actor Ossie Davis, Also Director, Prefers To Call Himself a Writer

By PHIL THOMAS
AP Newsfeatures Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Ossie Davis is best-known as an actor but he prefers to think of himself as a writer — even though his latest effort was directing a movie.

"I always wanted to write plays," the multitalented Davis says with a laugh. "But when I was young a teacher suggested that if I really was serious about playwriting I ought to get in the theater and get experience in all departments, including acting.

"That was the beginning of my downfall as a writer. Acting came easy to me. I got jobs easily, and I used this as an excuse not to write."

The tall, graying, 50-year-old Davis has, however, written a number of things, among them some plays that have been produced as well as "quite a few that haven't been produced," collaborated on movie scripts, and also written a number of television scripts. His best-known produced play, perhaps, is "Purlie Victorious," which ran on Broadway some eight months with Davis playing the lead.



MANY TALENTS — Ossie Davis, actor and writer, is the director of "Black Girl." It is his third film directing job.

Davis, who has been seen in a number of films such as "The Cardinal" and "The Hill," recently completed a stint on the other side of the cameras — directing the film "Black Girl." The movie, about a young girl who wants to become a dancer, was Davis' third film directing job.

"'Black Girl,'" he says, "was an opportunity to deal realistically with a black family without sacrificing excellence or entertainment. Even a sermon to me has to be entertaining, if it's not I don't buy it. I don't care how noble it is.

"Directing," the deep-voiced Davis continues, "is not difficult, but it is different from acting. Directing is very fulfilling because it absorbs all of your creative energies. The feeling of being in control of all of the elements that make up a movie is very satisfying and it is a feeling that an actor does not get."

As for film and stage acting, Davis prefers the theater "because it offers actors two things that film does not. One is that on stage the actor is in charge of his performance unless you actually drag him off the stage. In film he is not. The other is that it takes a long time to get to know a character and do him justice. The theater gives you time to choose and to select, enabling you to grow in the part. This is very difficult to do in movies."

Davis says he currently is working on a "number of possibilities." One he says is a movie which would star his wife, actress Ruby Dee, and which he would direct.



Destination: United States

HOMEWARD BOUND—Repatriated American prisoners of war will come home aboard Air Force C-141 Starlifters. The aircraft will be specially configured to offer the men the utmost in comfort and convenience during the long trip back to the United States from Southeast Asia. Each man will be afforded a bed of his own, attendants, seat and constant medical attention. (U.S. Air Force photo)

CAMERA Angles

By IRVING DESFOR
AP Newsfeatures

Each photo trip I take teaches me something.

If my most recent trip were to be retraced now, I'd take more color film; keep a more careful daily diary listing more specific information of pictures when taken; buy more prepaid mailers for sending off exposed film en route; and I wouldn't put a roll of exposed film in my gadget bag and leave the top unzippered.

My wife and I recently returned from a 12-day cruise on the 42-passenger Mount Hope, a boat specially built to sail on the inland rivers, canals and lakes that connect the U.S. and Canada in the Northeast.



MOOD PICTURES, at sunset and at night, vary the pace and add variety to any travel picture story. Here's one taken at Burlington, Vt., as the Mount Hope was docked during her 12-day inland waterways cruise.

We started from the ship's home port, Warren, R.I., and reached Montreal via the Hudson River, Erie Canal, Lake Ontario, the Thousand Islands and St. Lawrence Seaway. From Montreal, we turned south at Sorel, Quebec, into the Richelieu River, squeezed through the Chambly Canal to Lake Champlain and reached Whitehall, N.Y. Our voyage ended there because heavy rains closed some of the remaining locks temporarily. We bused back to our starting point.

It was a unique experience which makes a good picture story, offbeat enough to share with others and to recall with pleasure in the future. There were about a dozen camera toters aboard but only three others kept their cameras consistently handy. Therefore, when a situation or scene of interest suddenly appeared, most of them were in no position to record it.

Having a camera along on a trip does little good if it's resting comfortably in a cabin. It doesn't have to dangle constantly from the neck — it can remain within reach in a gadget bag. But I learned the bag should be closed.

My lesson came from a sightseeing tour of Montreal by taxi. After changing film, I opened the gadget bag to put in the exposed roll. On our return to the dock, I lifted the bag by the shoulder strap. The bag tipped forward and spilled its contents from the still-open top. I retrieved the items, put them back in the bag and closed it.

Later, however, I discovered the exposed roll of film was missing. It must have rolled out of sight. My suggestion now: put exposed film in your pocket or in a closed compartment of the gadget bag.

I made another mistake on this trip: not enough color film! Fortunately, I was able to get film, during the last few days, from other fans who didn't run short. That's what happens when I don't listen to my own advice.

I've preached often and loudly that one should be more than generous in figuring film needed for a trip. Each photographer shoots differently but he should know whether he can shoot one, two or three rolls or cartridges of film on a good day. Figure the maximum for each day of the trip and he shouldn't have to scrimp or scrounge by the trip's end.

Some of the film I shot I had prepaid processing mailers. While we were at the Oswego, N.Y., marina, I mailed some Kodachrome film to Rochester and some GAF film to its plant in Binghamton. By the time we returned home, the finished slides in both cases awaited us. The effect was like having Polaroid instant color film — wonderful!

During our cruise, the Mount Hope went through more than 50 canal locks. They ranged from the historic Erie Barge Canal and the double towpaths of Quebec's Chambly Canal to the powerful new giants of the St. Lawrence Seaway. All along the route, children, adults and pets greeted our boat as it went by.

With so many specific places — like churches and museums on a travel tour — it is necessary to make accurate identifications as pictures are being taken to prevent utter confusion when pictures are assembled later. And the best way to keep such information intact is to have a small pocket notebook that you keep on your person at all times. Use it as a daily diary, make complete notes of places and people and add descriptions of details that pinpoint a particular picture as you shoot.

At the same time, collect brochures, travel guides and maps of the areas for correct names, spellings and locations for later reference.

I noticed that most of our picture takers stood at the rail of our vessel when shooting scenes of passing interest — fishermen, a schooner, tankers, the locks, etc. Their pictures then would have a lot of water in the foreground and a lot of sky.

When I took the same pictures, I sought a vantage point on our boat so as to show the passengers at the rail looking or waving to the fishermen, the schooner, etc. Not only did it make a strong foreground and fill the picture area to better advantage, but it told a better story of our voyage . . . scenes seen from our mini-cruise liner.



PUBLIC NOTICES

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI
NOVEMBER TERM, A. D., 1972

BE IT REMEMBERED, That heretofore and on the 11th day of January, 1973, the same being the 27th day of the Regular November Term, 1972, of the Circuit Court within and for the County of Scott, in the 33rd Judicial Circuit of the State of Missouri, before Honorable Marshall Craig, Regular Judge of said Circuit Court, the following, among other proceedings, were had and entered of record in said Court, to-wit:

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT
OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI
AT BENTON, MISSOURI
BEATRICE HARRIS SHANNON
Petitioner. Case No. 7478

NOTICE OF HEARING ON APPLICATION FOR CORRECTION OF BIRTH CERTIFICATE

WHEREAS, Beatrice Harris Shannon, the above petitioner, has on this 11th day of January, 1973, filed her Petition wherein she prays for the establishment of a public record of the time and place of her birth and parentage, and alleges that the birth certificate now on record with the Bureau of Vital Statistics is inadequate and is not correct;

Notice is therefore, hereby given that a hearing on said Petition will be had in the Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, at the Court House in the City of Benton, Missouri, on the 8th day of February, 1973, and that all concerned may be governed accordingly.

Witness my hand and the seal of my said Court this 11th day of January, 1973.

Marshall Craig
Judge of Circuit Court of
Scott County, Missouri

CERTIFICATE OF
CIRCUIT CLERK

STATE OF MISSOURI)
SS.)
COUNTY OF SCOTT)

I, Lynn F. Ingram, Clerk of the Circuit Court of the County of Scott, which said court is a court of record, having a clerk and seal, certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and complete copy of Notice of Hearing on Application Case No. 7478 Beatrice Harris Shannon in the above entitled cause, as the same appears of record and on file in my office.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said court hereto affixed, this 12th day of January, A. D., 1973. (SEAL)

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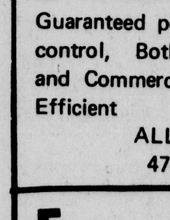
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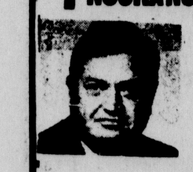
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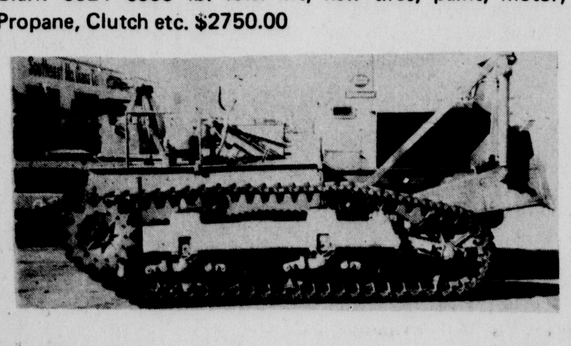
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School head resigns, requests teaching job

CHARLESTON — Supt. Thomas U. Wells, administrative head of the Charleston R-1 School District for the past seven years, turned in his resignation to the Board of Education Thursday night and requested a teaching position in the Charleston schools next year.

The resignation, effective June 30, 1973, came as a surprise to board members who accepted it, but refused comment.

Wells, 47, a native of Fayetteville, Ark., said of his resignation, "I have considered it for some time and I think since now I have the opportunity to do it I would like to get back into the classroom."

He didn't say whether there were any outside influences which caused him to resign, although the superintendent and William Sherrill Summitt, high school principal, both came under fire from blacks during recent demonstrations at the school.

The superintendent said he had been thinking about teaching for the past two or three years, he considers Charleston his home and he and his wife, Essie, a kindergarten teacher in the school system, would like to continue living here.

Wells is now serving in his seventh year as superintendent here since he was hired prior to the 1966-67 school year.

Before coming to Charleston, he was employed at Potosi for five years — one year as elementary school supervisor and four years as superintendent — and has been in the education field for 23 years — 16 of those as an administrator and seven as a classroom teacher.

He holds a master degree plus 25 hours of other graduate work and is qualified to teach in English and social studies.

In another move, the board delayed renewing the contracts of other administrators in the school system until February so that any who wished to resign would have time to do so by that date.

The board said this was a routine which would affect about nine administrators.

A letter from the Missouri Commission on Human Rights requesting that additional information be sent to them on Coy Franklin, a former black assistant principal at Charleston High School, was brought to the board's attention by school board attorney Albert Pindall.

Pindall recommended that the board send the information requested.

Franklin was told last February that his contract as assistant pricipal would not be renewed for the next school year because the board thought he would do a better job in another position. Because he was a tenured teacher, it was believed that he would be reassigned as a classroom teacher in the school district.

Franklin finished out the school year as assistant principal, amid much controversy, resigned and is now serving as a high school principal in Marianna, Ark.

The board also accepted the resignation of Mrs. Henry Hough, a third grade teacher at Hearnes Elementary School, with a stipulation that she remain until the end of the semester, Jan. 25. She had asked to be relieved of her contract as of Jan. 15 so that she could join her husband on his job in Texas.



SO MUCH FOR THE GLAMOR of being a foreign correspondent. These two newsmen wait in Paris for a breakthrough in the Vietnam peace talks.

Q—Where is the telephone answered with the word "pronto"?

A—In Italy. Pronto means ready.

Q—Who was the first president to appear on television?

A—Franklin D. Roosevelt, in 1939.

Nonsmokers beware

CHICAGO (AP) — There are additional findings that somebody else's smoking may be hazardous to your health.

A physician writing in the Jan. 15 issue of the Journal of the American Medical Association deals with the possibility in response to a question from another physician.

Dr. Donald A. Dukelow of the AMA's department of education was asked:

"Is there evidence to support recent claims that a nonsmoker with an all-day exposure to a smoke-filled room inhales as much smoke as though he himself had smoked a pack of cigarettes?"

Dukelow told the inquirer his "concern about the hazard of exposure to a smoke-filled room is supported" and cited several studies of the effects of cigarette smoke on nonsmokers.

One study cited found that smoking cigarettes in a closed room soon makes the concentration of nicotine and dust particles so high that the nonsmoker inhales as much harmful tobacco byproducts as a smoker inhales from four or five cigarettes.

Eagleton to discuss fuel crisis at K.C.

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Sen. Thomas Eagleton, D-Mo., will discuss the fuel crisis during a two-day visit to the Kansas City area Thursday and Friday.

Eagleton will speak on the fuel problem at noon Friday at a civic club luncheon. That evening, he will address the Northwest Missouri Press Association meeting at St. Joseph on the subject of newsmen's privilege.

Thursday, Eagleton will appear for brief speeches and question-and-answer sessions at Liberty, Blue Springs and Central high schools.

LOOKING BACK

Commercial air service starts between Sikeston and Cape

50 years ago
January 16, 1923

Mrs. Ed Wilson died at her home on South Stoddard street Monday after an illness of about two weeks.

The first steps in organizing a Southeast Missouri Cotton Marketing Association were taken at a meeting in Sikeston Thursday, there being representatives from eight Southeast Missouri counties and one from Illinois county present.

Mrs. Otis Bryeans died at her home in Oran Friday from cancer. She had been a sufferer of this dread disease for the past two years.

On January 11, Joseph Fahrnkopf, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Fahrnkopf of East Helen street, of this city, died after an illness of two weeks with scarlet fever. He was six years old.

40 years ago
Jaunayr 16, 1933

Canalou-- Marvin Ralph was in Sikeston Monday on business.

Blodgett-- Next Sunday will be preaching day at the Baptist Church.

At least one Sikestonian was very much in evidence at the inaugural ball of Governor Guy B. Park at Jefferson City last Monday. She was Miss Ruth Inez Felker, who "covered" the event for her newspaper, a publication of Christian College, Columbia. Miss Felker is society editor on the school paper.

Falling from a farm wagon in which he was riding, Alvin Helton of Diehlstadt was killed almost instantly late Saturday when the vehicle was struck by an automobile occupied by former Girardeans, who were driving to Cape from St. Louis. The crash occurred five miles north of Farmington.

Henry Comer, manager of Independent Airways, announced today the beginning of commercial air travel from Sikeston to Cape Girardeau, Poplar Bluff and Cairo, Ill.

Burglars entered the Bank of Blodgett during the night Tuesday, and with tools borrowed from a blacksmith shop and railroad section house, picked and pounded a hole into the vault, escaping with silver money in small denominations used in making change.

30 years ago
January 16, 1943

Ira Hildredt Dill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gord Dill, who has enlisted in the Sea- Bees, construction unit of the Naval Reserve, left St. Louis Wednesday for Norfolk, Va., where he will receive his initial training.

Tragedy wrote an unexpected chapter to moving day for the Norval Gibson family Tuesday when 14-year-old Helen Gibson was found dead in a hay loft of a barn at the new home, her body suspended by a rope from a rafter. The child had been playing with others in the family in the loft but was alone at the time she lost her grip on the rope. Gibson and his family were moving from the Crowder vicinity on Route one, Sikeston, to the farm, known as the Foley place, three miles south of Chaffee on Highway 55.

Mrs. Bill Hopkins assumed new duties this week as a teller in the Bank of Sikeston.

Oran-- Mrs. H.B. Green was in Benton on business Saturday.

Vanduser-- Kenneth Winters has been ill from pneumonia, but is able to be up now.

20 years ago
January 16, 1953

Five Southeast Missourians were listed among the rotation troops arriving in Seattle today from the Far East aboard the transport Marine Lynx. Two were from Sikeston. They were Cpl. Connie R. Howell, Route 2, and Pfc. William S. Harvel, Route 3.

Dr. and Mrs. A.D. Martin left this morning for St. Louis and from there will go by train to New York City, where Dr. Martin will attend a two week Pediatric course at New York University. Mrs. Martin, who was reared in New York, is returning for the first time in 20 years and while there will visit numerous relatives in Long Island.

The brick home of Mrs. Homer Stallings, sr., at the corner of South Scott and West Gladys street, was sold to Joe Anderson, who was recently assigned as Deputy Sheriff to the southern part of Scott County.

Parma-- A freshman at Parma High School, Sonny Johnson, 15, received a sprained right wrist and ankle, multiple contusions and abrasions when he ran into a car during the school noon hour yesterday.

Prayer for today

from the Upper Room

The eleven disciples went away into Galilee, into a mountain where Jesus had appointed them. And when they saw him, they worshipped him. (Matthew 28:16- 17)

PRAYER: Dear God, I thank You for all the dimensions of the Great Commission of our Lord. As I see it in sharp focus, I ask Your help as I accept it as my assignment. For His sake. Amen.

What's the law?

The case of the stolen handcuffs

By Jack Strauss, LL.B

The only problem Howie found with his leisure. . .was how to keep others from using it. Taking a dim view of working, he preferred to hang around a poolroom where he cut up pretty well. One day, however, he cut up pretty badly and was arrested for disorderly conduct. After handcuffing Howie and placing him in a patrol car, the arresting officer then re- entered the poolroom to make a second arrest. When he returned to his car, however, he found both Howie and his handcuffs gone.

Several days later, when their paths crossed again, the indignant officer arrested Howie for stealing his handcuffs.

"He had some nerve," complained the officer in court. "It was bad enough he escaped from my patrol car, but he had no right to take my property with him. Without my handcuffs, I felt practically naked."

"Well, I obviously couldn't leave the cuffs behind," was Howie's answer." And, since he willfully put them on me I can't be convicted of stealing them since I came into possession of them lawfully."

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you convict Howie of stealing the officer's handcuffs?

This is how the judge ruled: YES! The judge held that "possession" means to have control, care and management of an object. And, observed the judge, when a person is handcuffed against his will, it would be manifestly absurd to think that he is given control, care and management of the handcuffs. On the contrary, concluded the judge, he has mere custody of them and may not deprive the true owner of them. If he does, it's larceny.

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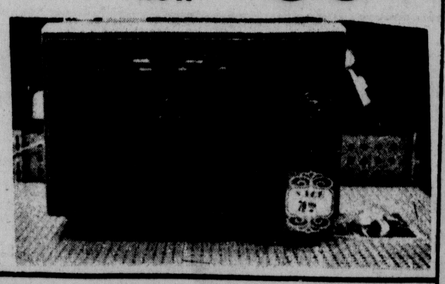


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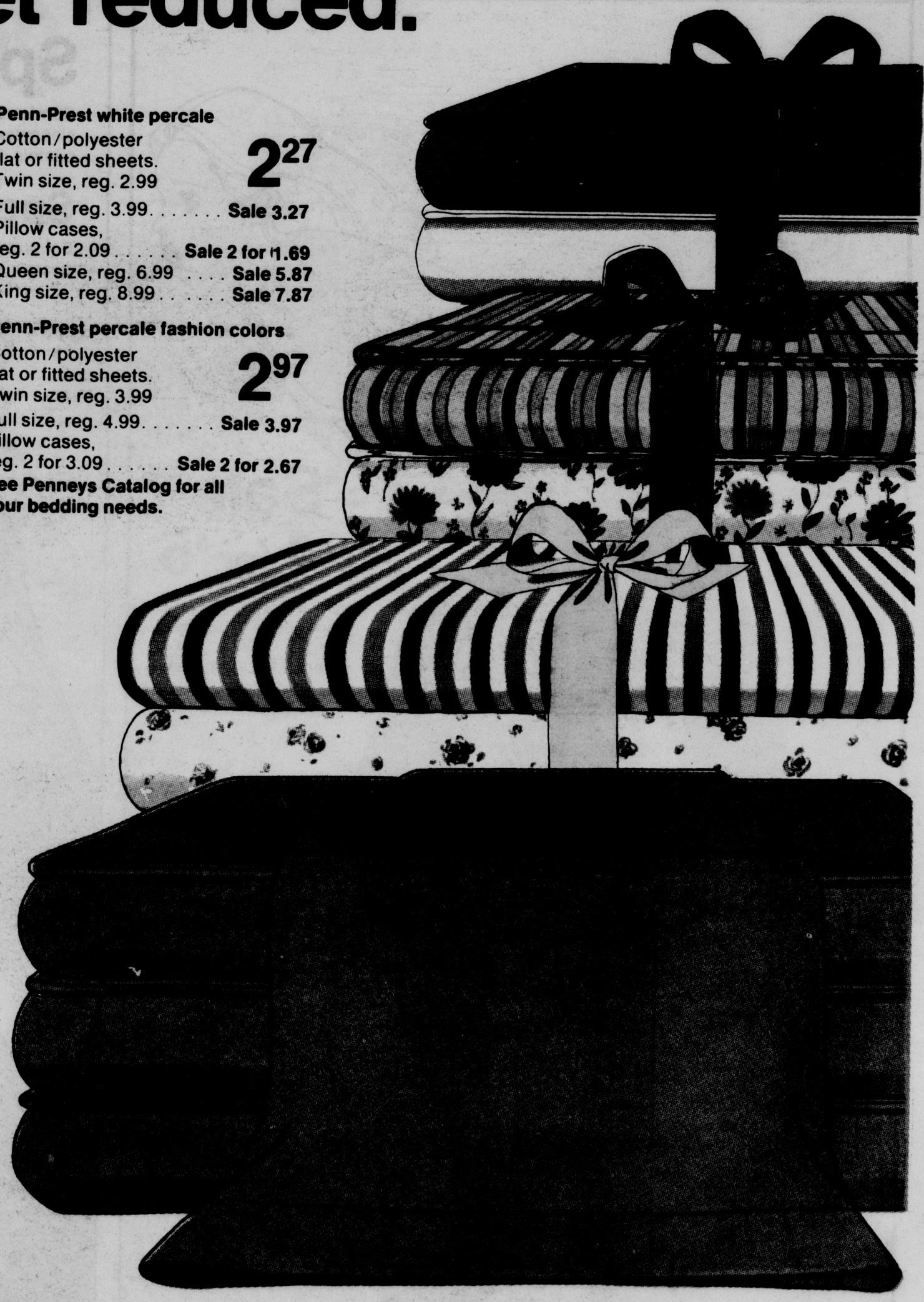
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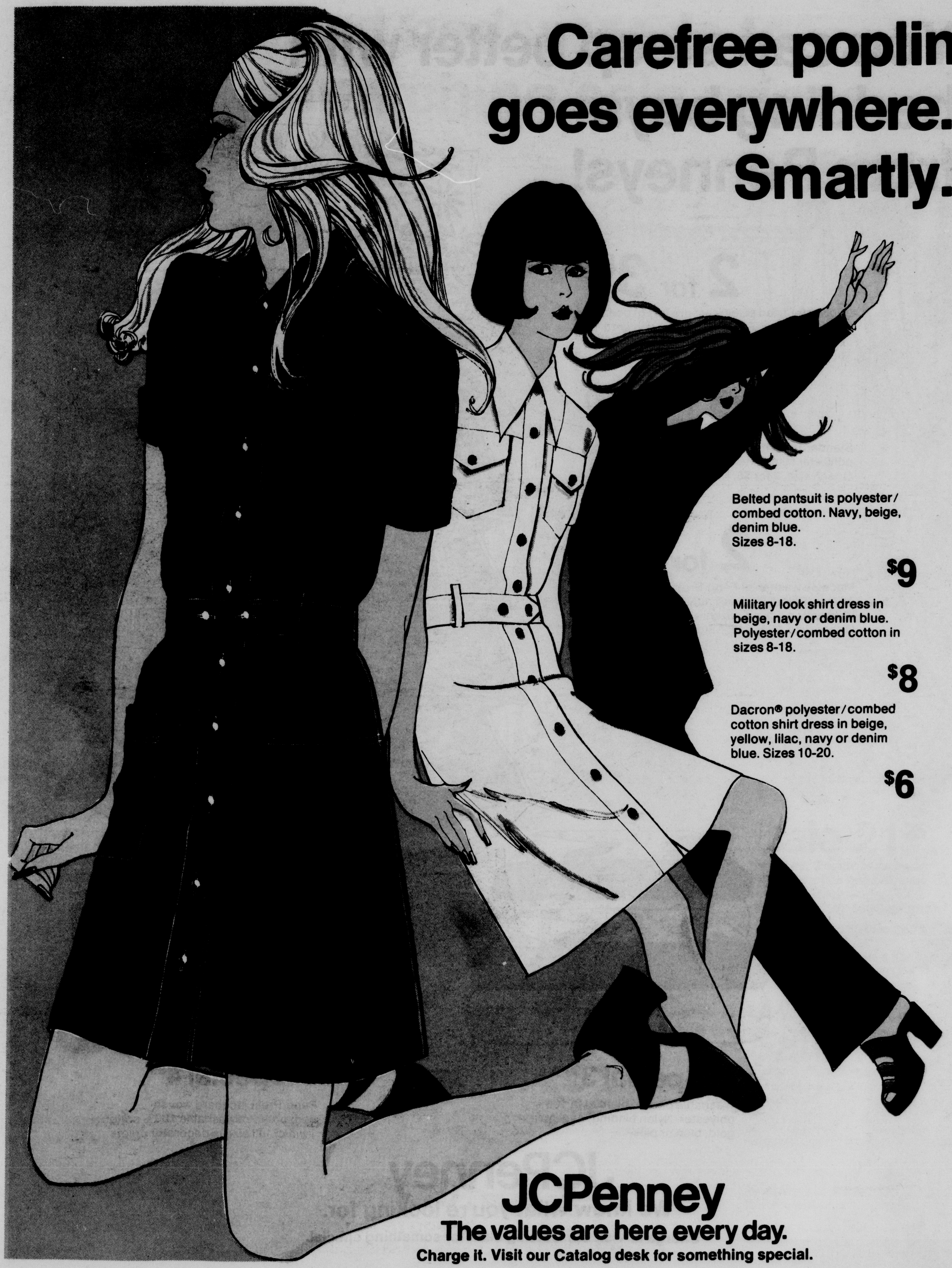
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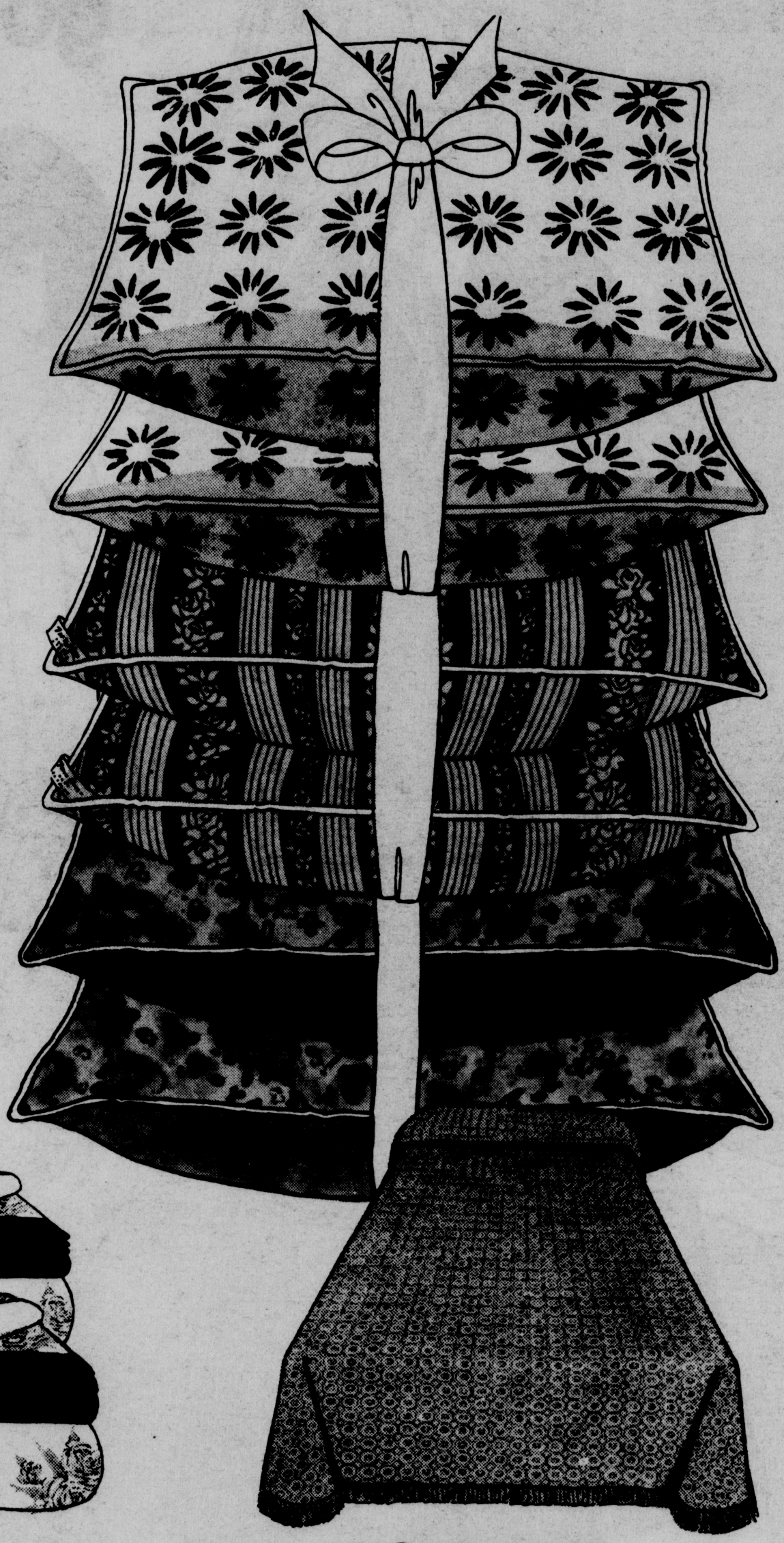
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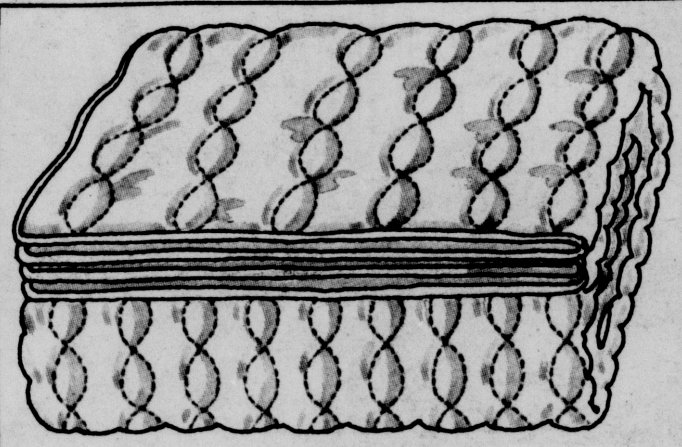
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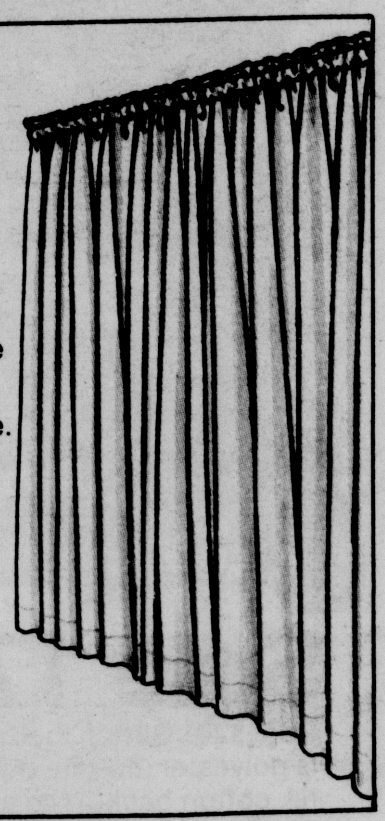


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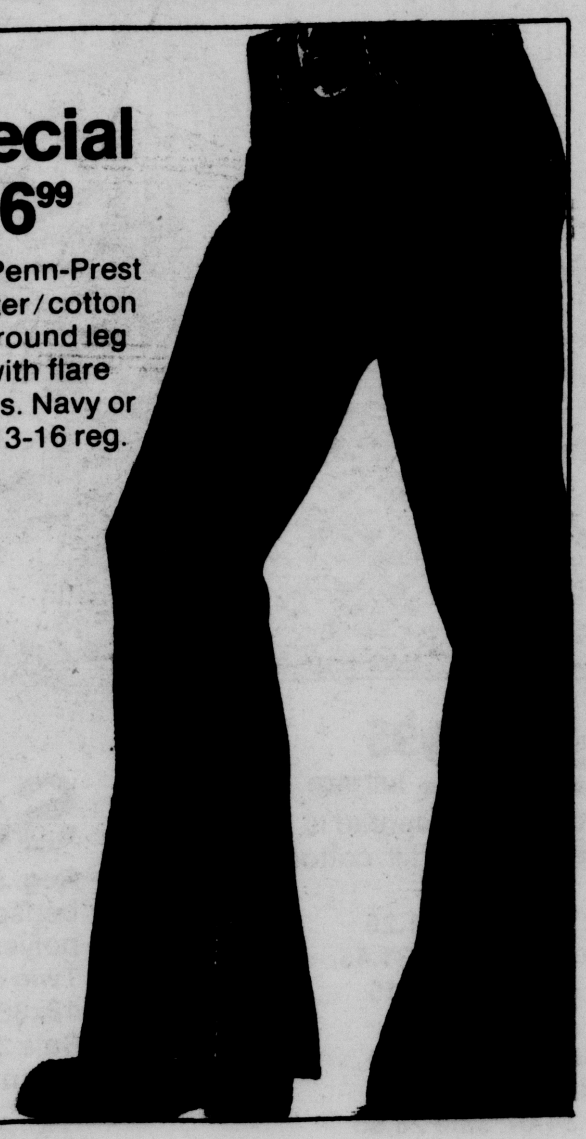
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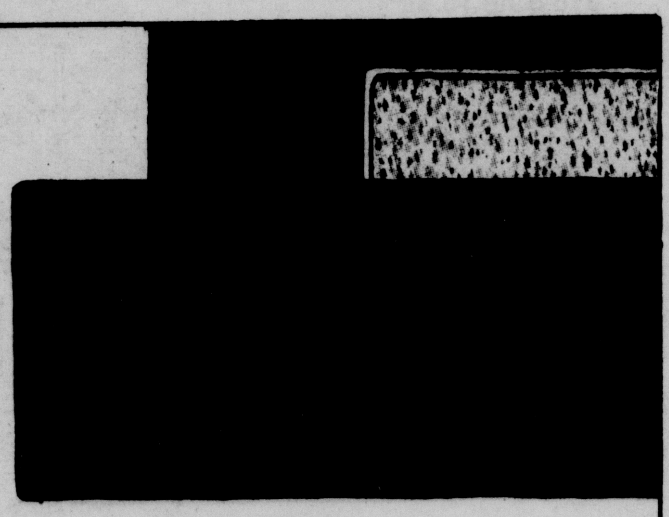
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Prepare for mothers' march

Members of Girl Scout Troop 21, under the supervision of Mrs. Judy Hart, are helping prepare mothers' march material for the March of Dimes. Two of the young Scouts are shown here with Mrs. James Turner of 307, Hardin, who is serving as mothers' march chairman. At left is Karen Hart, 12, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hart of 107 Dudley. At right is Gina Buchanan, 11, daughter of Mrs. Sarah Buchanan of 1400 West Murray Lane. (Daily Standard Photo)

U.S., South Vietnam to declare ceasefire

SAIGON (AP) — A cease-fire will be declared by the United States and South Vietnam on the eve of President Nixon's inauguration Saturday to pave the way toward signing of a peace agreement to end the Indochina war, South Vietnamese sources said tonight.

Nixon was said to have advised President Nguyen Van Thieu that an international agreement has been reached to preclude further hostilities by North Vietnam, and to have told Thieu to "trust in me."

At the Florida White House, administration spokesmen had no comment on the report. "There will be a great number of these reports. We are not going to have comment. We are not going to discuss the subject," Deputy press secretary Neal Ball said.

The unilateral cease-fire would be designed to set the stage for an exchange of prisoners and for the signing by the foreign ministers of the United States, North Vietnam, South Vietnam and the Viet Cong of the peace settlement drafted at Paris, the informants said.

There was no clear understanding of whether Hanoi and the Viet Cong had agreed to the allied cease-fire. However, the sources, who have had access to discussions by Thieu and other top-level South Vietnamese leaders of the latest draft proposal, said concessions had been made by both sides on essential issues blocking the peace treaty.

These reports came after Gen. Alexander M. Haig Jr. conferred for 2½ hours with Thieu on the draft proposal worked out by Henry A. Kissinger and Hanoi's Le Duc Tho in Paris.

The informants went on to say that the Saigon government may have reservations about the final draft agreement, but that it was recognized that with Nixon applying pressure for a settlement and Congress threatening to cut off aid, Thieu is faced with no choice but to go along.

Nixon's reported allusion to an international arrangement to guarantee peace was said by the sources to have been contained in a letter to Thieu, delivered either by U.S. Ambassador Ellsworth Bunker last weekend or by Haig, Nixon's special emissary.

According to the sources, the letter urged Thieu not to worry about the terms of the peace settlement because of the arrangement which would assure that any fresh effort by North Vietnam to start another war after a peace agreement would get nowhere.

There were no details given on the agreement to which the letter supposedly referred, but one South Vietnamese official said:

"Both sides are under pressure. We are under pressure from the United States. Hanoi is under pressure from the Soviet Union and Communist China ... Everything must be understood in the context of an international arrangement in the light of the detente."

Official sources said North Vietnam and the United States had agreed on the size of an international force to supervise the cease-fire. South Vietnamese sources said the new draft still left unresolved such basic Saigon demands as the withdrawal of all North Vietnamese troops from South Vietnam and restoration of the demilitarized zone between the North and South. But progress toward agreement was reported on those also.

Planning commission recommends annexation

The planning and zoning commission last night recommended to the city council that 1,500 acres of land along the north and south edges of Sikeston be incorporated into the city limits.

The major problem facing the city in annexing the land is extending city utilities to the sites.

The land recommended for annexation includes an area of 1,200 acres north of the Rodeo grounds and east to Interstate 55, the Cummins Diesel and highway patrol site south of the city, and the LaValle property southwest of the city along Highway 60.

Two owners of land north of the Rodeo grounds have asked for annexation so they can develop the land. Burt Rowe and Bob Nowell both plan residential developments in the area recommended for annexation.

Cummins Diesel has told the city it is willing to be annexed into Sikeston. The council is not expected to approve the annexation of the Highway patrol site if the patrol elects to remain in Poplar Bluff.

The LaValle property along Highway 60 was described by commissioners as some of the prime area for industrial development in the city. The land is located at the southwest corner of the city, and has running through it highway 60 and the Frisco Railroad.

The commission tabled an annexation proposal for a 1,400 acres of land east of Interstate 55, saying they wanted to give it further consideration.

Commission members had expressed doubt about whether absorbing such a large area at this time would be in the city's interest and wanted to study the proposal further.

The problem facing the city in the proposed expansion is paying for the extension of city utilities into the areas. Cost estimates are around $600,000 for providing utilities to the land north of the Rodeo grounds. For the LaValle property estimates are $220,000 and for the Cummins Diesel and Patrol site, $38,000.

Commissioners discussed two possible methods of paying for extending the utilities, a bond issue and a water district.

The idea of creating a water district seemed to attract the most attention. Basically the water district would require each property owner to pay for installation of the utilities. The expansion would cost nothing to land owners in areas already served.

A revenue bond would be paid for by revenues from the utilities. A general obligation bond, if necessary, still would not mean an increase in taxes because Sikeston will retire a bond issue in 1974.

Dick Inman, director of municipal utilities, told the

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Mothers to march for Dimes

Volunteers are needed for the March of Dimes mothers' march against birth defects, which will be held in Sikeston Jan. 29, Mrs. James Turner of 307 Hardin, chairman said today.

"There are so many kinds of birth defects, with varying causes, that no single scientific discovery will solve the entire puzzle. But medicine now offers greather help than ever in preventing, correcting or repairing certain kinds of damage," she noted.

In January, mothers all over the country march to bring new hope in the fight against birth defects. Contributions made to marching mothers help support National Foundation-- March of Dimes

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3 candidates declare early

PORTAGEVILLE — Three candidates have made early declarations for elective offices in the April 3 city elections, according to City Clerk Raymond Secoy who said the filing deadline is midnight March 3.

Seventeen- year veteran Police Chief Joe Moore has filed for re- election to a two-year term. Benny Goodman is a candidate for the ward one alderman post now held by Lewis Hoxworth. Taylor Noles Sr., who has been serving as police judge since December, has filed for that office to fill a one- year unexpired term vacated by Jake Rone.

Other two- year terms expiring are those of Mayor Roy Moore; ward two alderman Donald Rone; and city collector, which has been filled since November by Mrs. Evelyn Adams following the resignation of Mrs. Mary Ann Long.

Richard Hodder of Dexter had his electrical license renewed by the council.

Interchange plan appears dying

A proposal to build a third Sikeston interchange on Interstate 55 seems to be dying, despite recently expressed interest and probable benefits it would bring to Sikeston, The Daily Standard has learned.

The interchange, proposed near the eastern end of Tanner Road, stands little chance of receiving federal approval, according to District 10 Engineer Lionel Murray. Although Murray did not say the proposal is completely dead, it seems to have little chance of being accepted in the new future.

Murray said the stretch from Benton to Sikeston is one of the longest in the state without an interchange. The proposed interchange at Tanner Road would help break up this stretch.

However, Murray said, the cost of building a new interchange on an existing interstate highway is extremely high. So high, Murray added, that the state can't afford to build the interchange itself and that chances of Federal Highway Administration help are virtually nonexistent. Murray said he could not even guess at the cost.

The highway department last year checked three possible locations for an interchange, Murray said. One was Route U near Blodgett where the road goes under I-55; another was Route H where it goes over I-55; and the third was Tanner Road.

The reason for rejecting Route U, Murray said, was that it served too few people at Blodgett. The Route H interchange would not be near any populated area, he said.

The Tanner Road location was found likely to benefit the most people by making it easier for north Sikeston residents to reach the highway.

Murray said an interchange would probably cause a boom in the northern part of town and along Tanner Road.

City Manager Jim Huff also said the interchange would benefit the city. He had recently asked Murray about the future of the proposed interchange and seemed disappointed to learn that it would probably not be built.

The interchange was proposed for the area recommended Monday night for annexation to the city.

Beaird case dismissed

Case was dismissed this morning and costs were certified to the state for Winford L. Beaird, charged with stealing $1,200 from Liberty Supermarket on Dec. 8, in Magistrate Court by Judge Lloyd G. Briggs.

Assistant prosecuting attorney Steve Taylor said the case was dismissed because of insufficient evidence.

Joe Glenn was bound over to appear in Circuit Court on Feb. 8 on charges of forging a $77 money order to El Capri Motel by using the name William L. Brown.

Guilty pleas by Donald E. Culbertson and C. D. Alcorn Jr. were taken under advisement by Judge Lloyd Briggs and both were ordered to reappear on Feb. 6. The two are charged with turning over an automobile on Oct. 30, 1972 belonging to Pat Curry.

Jack Lee Beckwith, Billy Gene Boshears Jr. and Bruce Lynn Wolferding, charged with disturbing the peace at the Curry home on Oct. 30 and challenging him to a fight, had cases taken under advisement and were ordered to reappear on Feb. 6.

David Lee Cannon of Sikeston, charged with felonious assault on Paula Cannon, had case continued until Jan. 23 and was ordered to obtain counsel.

After entering a plea of guilty to charges of writing a $65 bad check to Bill Tinsley on April 14, 1972, Gail Doss was ordered to make restitution, pay costs within 90 days and was placed on probation for one year.

A warrant was issued for Richard Copeland of Sikeston for failure to appear in court on charges of speeding.

James Roy Jerrold of Hayti, charged with speeding, was fined $20 and costs.

Dexter leases alarm system

DEXTER— The city council Monday night unanimously approved the recommendation of the finance committee to hire the Day— Spitzmiller accountant firm of Dexter for the city. The firm has only prepared the annual audit for the city in the past, but now will do interim monthly financial statements.

The council also decided to lease a dispatching unit from The Guardsman Company of Poplar Bluff to be placed in the new dispatcher's office at No. 2 Fire Station on Market Street.

The unit will be leased for $283 a month, and the city hopes to purchase the unit upon approval of federal funds. Total cost of the unit is $16,420. If approved, the city would pay 25 per cent or $4,105. State funds will pay the remaining 75 per cent, if approved. Should the city buy the unit at a later date, the lease payments will be refunded.

Approximately 48 burglar and fire alarms will be hooked up on the unit and all railroad crossings with flashing lights in the city will be monitored. All doors to fire stations No. 1 and No. 2 will be monitored.

The council discussed the election on April of three new city aldermen, one from each ward. Aldermen serve a two-year term. Deadline for filing will be noon March 10. Publication of the election will be on March 9.

Mayor Willis Conner told the council that a check received in the amount of $28,500 was not a revenue sharing check but was money from the Environmental Protection Agency. Mayor Conner said the first revenue sharing check received by the city was in the amount of $47,923, and the second check was for $46,006.

The council approved the Shelton Subdivision located west of the Elder Manufacturing Plant.

Fry charged with leaving accident

BERNIE — Johnny Fry, 30, of 17 North Cora St., Dexter, has been charged with leaving the scene of an accident which occurred at 1:15 a.m. Saturday on Highway 25.

Fry apparently struck a car driven by Harold Belcher Jr., 25, of 613 North Elm St., Dexter, and continued into the residential area of town.

Bernie police found the car involved in the accident abandoned in Bernie on Saturday. Fry was arrested on Sunday.

It's inside . . .

A woman finds many uses for her wedding dress. See Ann Landers. Turn to ... page 5.

Illmo- Scott City dumps Chaffee 72-57. Turn to ... page 9.

Squirrels will face a lean winter. Turn to ... page 10.

Legal rights are few for illegitimate children. Turn to ... page 11.

. . . and outside

Generally fair and mild tonight, low 38 to 45; winds southerly 8 to 15 mph; increasing cloudiness and mild Wednesday with high in 60s; probabilities of measurable precipitation 5 per cent tonight, 10 per cent Wednesday.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Little or no chance of precipitation Thursday through Saturday; warm Thursday; not quite so warm Friday and Saturday but still mild; high Thursday in low 60s; highs dropping into the upper 50s Friday and Saturday; lows from 30s into low 40s.

HIGH AND LOW

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today were 45 and 27 degrees.

Sunset today ..... 5:06 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow...7:10 a.m.
The moon is at perigee today and sets tomorrow at--- 6:05 a.m.

PROMINENT STARS

Rigel due south ..... 9:28 p.m.
Aldebaran sets.....3:23 a.m.

VISIBLE PLANETS

Saturn above Aldebaran as it sets. Mars in the southeast--- 5:45 a.m. Venus rises--- 6:14 a.m.

Reorganization hearings hit snag

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Hearings on a gigantic government reorganization bill hit their first snag today when Gov. Christopher S. Bond asked agency heads not to testify until they had been confirmed by the Senate.

Charles Valier, legislative counsel for Bond, also said his office needed more time to examine the bill.

The Committee on Gubernatorial Appointments scheduled a meeting for 2 p.m. today.

Bond's request would delay testimony from state officials on most of the departments except for higher education, elementary education and the revenue department. The general public could still testify.

Hearings began Monday and will continue all week, even into the night if necessary, said the chairman, Sen. Albert M Spradling, D-Cape Girardeau.

Spradling said abandoning the seven-pound Senate bill in favor of a 27-page House version might create "four years or reform."

Victor Tell Neff, of the Legislative Research Committee, said the 13 divisions that would be under the department are: the Public Service Commission; Tourism, Commerce and Industrial Development, Finance, Consumer Protection, Savings and Loan Supervision, Professional Registration, Administrative Hearings, Human Rights, Weights and Measures, Athletic Affairs, Council on the Arts and Insurance.

The head of the Consumer Department would be able to appoint the heads of the divisions, subject to senate approval, if the bill is approved.

Reorganization of the secutive branch into 13 large departments and one department under the governor was approved by the voters last August.

An interim committee labored all fall over the senate bill that will bring about reorganization in one big package, as recommended by former Gov. Warren E. Hearnes, says it sponsor, Sen. William J. Cason, D-Clinton.

Spradling criticized an anouncement by the Missouri Public Expenditure Survey saying a streamlined reorganization bill, with the backing of the chairmen and vice chairmen of the Little Hoover Commission, would be introduced Tuesday by Rep. Harold Volkmer, D-Hannibal.

The Little Hoover Commission studied government reoganization.

"I'd safely say there might be 100 revision bills" needed for Volkmer's bill, Spradling said, and he criticized the expenditure survey—a nonprofit government research organization—for not notifying him before announcing details of volkmer's bill.

"Is this the right approach or should we take three or four years" to fully implement reorganization? Spradling asked. He said he would choose the senate route and — I have 21 years of experience to back it up."

Reorganization will take effect in 1974.

The basic difference in the bills is that Cason's bill incorporated all the necessary statutory changes for euach department and agency, outling their authority. Volkmer's bill would merely outline the transfers and empower the interim committee on legislative research to draft bills revising each agency. It is the Senate's feeling that acting later on revision bills might take several years to achieve full reorganization.

Spradling said his committee would go "full blast," meeting at 9 a.m, 1:30 p.m., and 7:30 p.m. or 8 p.m. each day through next Monday, with the exception of Friday afternoon.

Spradling commented that his mail was running like this:

"I'm all in favor of reorganization as long as it doesn't apply to us." Testimony on each department, starting with the Office of Administration and Department of Agriculture, was to being Tuesday.

Monday's hearing was crowded with department and agency representatives but Tel Neff of the Legislative Research Committee held the floor, going through the massive bill department-by-department.

Sen. A. Clifford Jones, RBrentwood, fired out a stream of questions about duplication of authority and jurisdiction over federal money. on mny questins, Neff was directed to go back and do more research.

The consitutional amendment sets up the Office of Administration (which came into being Monday under a law passed in the last general session; and 13 departments:

Agriculture, naturual resources, conservation, elementary education, higher education, highways, transportation, labor and industrial relations, consumer affairs-regulation and licensing, public safety, revenue, social services and mental health.

In most cases, the governor would appointthe department head and the head would appoint the division directors who must be confirmed by the senate.

The Office of Administration already is set up and it supervises the old Division of Budget and Comptroller, Division of Planning and Construction, Personnel Division, Division of Procurement and the old Administrative Services section.

Under reorganization in the Senate bill, it also would take over the fast-growing Department of Community Affairs, which would be reduced to division status. The community affairs director would be appointed by the chief of administration with the consent of the Senate rather than by the governor, as is done now.

Also under the Office of Administration would be the Division of Highway Safety, StateFederal Relations Agency, Law enforcement Advisory Council and Division of Comprehensive Health Planning with a 49member council appointed by the governor.

There was an attempt, Neff said, to place al those agencies dealing with federal funds— aside from education—in the Office of Administration.

Sen. Paul Bradshaw, RSpringfield, wondered if some new laws still would be needed in this area and Cason

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Tuesday, January 16, 1892, Schizophrenic philosopher observes, "I think, therefore, we are."

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

When people have nothing to do, it is because they won't do anything.

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NOTED AND PASSED...

Tom Westfall tells this story in the YUMA (COLORADO) PIONEER: A small community in Kansas was shocked when the twelve- year - old son of a leading citizen, without any prior warning, died suddenly in his sleep. An autopsy revealed that the lad was the victim of a rare and unsuspected form of meningitis.

His death saddened everyone. No one could understand why so young a person had to die. Some bitterness was expressed along with a great deal of bewilderment.

But one of the boy's friends put the whole thing in perspective when he said to the youth's mother; "I bet Mark was surprised to wake up and see Jesus."

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Charlie Henson Lord Mayor of Dog Trot advises you can't lead someone else any farther than you have gone yourself.

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'A POLICEMAN'S
LOT IS' --- ETC.

A San Francisco psychaitrist reports a new illness caused by today's social tension — "policeman's syndrome."

The status of a policeman, says Dr. Martin G. Blinder, has shifted abruptly from "straightforward and politically approved opponent of evil" to where he has now become the buffer between powerful social forces.

This new role, he says, is unfamiliar, complex and ambiguous, as well as politically charged. As a result, his police officer patients suffer accelerated heartbeats, sweats and lightheadedness.

Policemen are literally getting sick of being called "pigs."

Meanwhile it is interesting to note that on the college campus, where this lovely term was a favorite of the love generation, students are being mugged, raped and robbed with such "alarming frequency" that they are demanding more protection from campus security officers — police, that is.

So reported John W. Powell, executive secretary of the International Association of College and University Security Directors, at a recent conference at Pace College.

Maybe the kids are getting tired of calling a hippie when there's trouble and nobody comes.

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The father in our block advises one thing that you can get for a quarter these days is a protest from the kids that it ain't enough.

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According to "The Spotlight", published by Field Enterprises Educational Corporation, "... children have eyes, ears, noses, and muscles, and ... they like to use them. The charm and vitality of direct experiences, of knowledge by acquaintance, are well illustrated in an article published by Edward Vernon in the British Weekly. He asked children to prepare an answer to the question, 'What are the loveliest things you know, persons not counted?' Here are some of these children's answers: The scrunch of dry leaves when you walk through them; looking into deep clear water; the taste of strawberries; smoke rising; rain on your cheeks. We could learn something very important by noting how little children see the world with a questioning, innocent eye."

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According to U. S. News & World Report, many officials in Washington, Saigon and Paris were caugh completely by surprise when the North Vietnamese Communist suddenly took the wraps off delicate truce negotiations. One theory: The Reds thought their broadcasts of their terms might pressure the U. S. into a hasty settlement before everything was tucked in and all the seams stitched.

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Home means more to a woman than to a man because it is a place where she can take off her corset.

Hal Boyle

NEW YORK (AP) — You may not be a relic yet.

Your heirs may not be able to market you as an authentic antique.

But, on the other hand, you're not getting any younger if —

You have more than one knot in your shoestring because you can't bear to throw anything away.

There's no doubt you feel more at home when visiting a museum than when you're in a modern art gallery.

A confused small child is more likely to call you grandpa or grandma than dad or mom.

You know exactly what you'd like to have on your tombstone, but you also are unwilling to fork up the money for an inscription that long.

You make more deposits than withdrawals in your savings account.

It's possible for you to survive a Christmas and still have some money left over.

When you go to a vacation resort, you spend more time sitting in a front porch rocking chair than you do on the golf course or tennis court.

You eat only half as much as you did 10 years ago. You also take about half as many showers, because you rarely do anything to get up a sweat anymore.

It's easier for you to think up half a dozen reasons not to go to a party than think up one reason to go to it.

You're never in so much of a hurry anymore that you can't take time to say, "Thank you," when someone is unexpectedly nice. You also get a big mistyeyed and feel like crying when someone goes out of his way to do you a favor.

You feel patriotic when they play the Star-Spangled Banner. Your mind doesn't stray; you listen to the words as you sing or hum them, and you think about what they mean. And it makes you angry if the tune isn't played exactly the way you like to hear it.

You like to have people ask you what your opinion is during a discussion, but that doesn't happen very often.

You know that somebody else must be getting your share of sex now, but, as far as you are concerned, — well, he is welcome to it.

Yep, time's best child, old you may not be — but getting younger you aren't.

"Arrest That Man!"



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BANJAMIN FRANKLIN'S BIRTHDAY. Jan. 17. Born this day, 1706, died April 17, 1790. Birthday commemorated each year by The Poor Richard Club of Philadelphia, with graveside observance.

BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS AT THE CATHEDRAL. Jan. 17. Mexico. Church of San Antonio in Mexico City or Xochimilco provide best sights of chickens, cows and household pets gaily decorated with flowers.

NATIONAL MICROFILM ASSOCIATION: MID-WINTER MEETING. Jan. 17-19. Phoenix, Arizona. Info from: National Microfilm Assn., Kenneth L. Wilkins, 8728 Colesville Rd., Suite 1101 Silver Spring, Md. 20910.

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MORE FOR
THE STATE

While the state is turning the governor's office over to a different party, administration of one of the state's major problems ermains in Democratic hands— and , as Treasurer- elect James I. Spainhower's new program indicates, in good hands.

Mr. Spainhower's program is incorpaorated in a bill introduced by Senator Spradling of Cape Girardeau. One provision would let the state receive the market interest rate on bank time deposits; present law restricts the rate paid the state to half of 1 per cent below the average paid on U.S. Treasury bonds. This unnecessary restriction reduces the amount the state can earn on its own money.

Two other provisions would permit investment of state funds for a minimum of 30 days, instead of 90, and reduce the amount of callaeral banks must post for state funds from an unreasonable 110 per cent to a sound 100 per cent. The first would give the Treasurer more flexibility in earning money for the state, nd the second would free some bank funds for loans useful to Missouri's economy.

Handling of state deposits by previous Democratic Treasurers created deserved ciritcism and a need for reform that is surely nonpartisan. Mr. Spainhower ought to be able to count on support for his program from both parties in the Legislature.

Post Dispatch

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A man was driving through the country when his motor stopped. He got out to see if he could locate the trouble. A voice behind him said, "The trouble is in the carburetor." He turned around, but saw only an old horse. "I said, you better check the carburetor," repeated the horse.

Rushing to the nearest farm house, the man related his experience to a farmer. "Was it an old bay horse with a flop ear?" asked the farmer. "Yes, yes, that's the one," babbled the man. "Well, don't pay no attention to him," said the farmer. "He don't know nothing about automobiles anyway."

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"Shut your door, bolt and latch it, here comes Lizzie with a brand- new hatchet."

The story of Lizzie Borden killing her parents has mellowed through the years; but the horror still remains, even in a comic song. The structure of Lizzie's motives probably lies deep in the psyche of every human being. However, when the story hit the press, who would or could listen to the rationale of a psychologist? There was only horror.

Life Magazine recently printed a story about Richie, a teenager who, in a melodramatic Lizzie- in-reverse scene, is killed by his father. Horrible? Yes. But, ironically some people may thing they find him easier to understand than Lizzie because he used marijuana and secobarbitol. "Why bother with a study of complex motivations," they might ask, "when durg- using is the obvious cause."

Actually, drug- use may be a scapegoat. The whole basic premise is that drugs cause bad things to happen. Sometimes they do, but often it is the other way around: bad things cause drugs to happen.

Fortunately, the "Richie" tragedy is an extreme case. His story is not being duplicated in every neighborhood across the country. But, unfortunately, almost all publications and films dealing with drug abuse use similar case history stereotypes which predispose us to act incorrectly in drug education.

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PLYMOUTH TIES IN
WITH INDY 500

It is no easy rub to get publicity on TV newscasts but Plymouth scored a coup prior to the 1969 Indianapolis 500. After Andy Granatelli's racing team had almost won the race in '67 and '68 with a turbine engine, they were forced to go to a piston engine.

Plymouth built it for them and the trial runs were filmed in color. Ten days before the race, the film clip (55 seconds) was sent to sports editors of 500 TV stations in the U.S.

Enclosed was a prepaid reply card which carried spaces for checking the comments. "Yup, we're using the Andy Granatelli newsfilm," or "Nope, can't use it," with space for comments.

235 we- used- it cards came back indicating that the film had been exposed to a total audience of 15 million. Since other stations may have used the clip but did not bother to mail the card, chances are the audience was considerably larger.

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IMPROPER USE OF
FUNDS

Rising costs may push a college education beyond the reach of many young people-- and the struggling parents who want to see their children have the advantages of the university experience. In view of these already exorbitant costs, many students and parents are likely to rebel against the drive to charge students a fee to support student activists and consumer protection organizations such as has been carried on in the state of Oregon.

An indication of the feeling of some students on the subject was the action of a student group at Oregon State University. They expressed opposition to the use of student funds to support activist causes which they felt went far beyond consumer protection. Such causes enter the realm of "investigations of government to make it more responsive, exposes of the military- industrial alliance, or campaigns for racial or sexual equality.'.

If compulsory support for political causes is to become an accepted part of college tuition, higher education can look forward to a shabby and declining future.

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A LOT OF MILEAGE

High- volume, mass retail distribution, as exemplified by the chain store system of merchandising, more than proved its worth to consumers in the past year. This is the only conclusion that can be drawn from a study of the operating results of the nation's food chains published by Cornell University.

Professor Earl H. Brown, who participated in the study, pointed out that a whopping 14 percent increase in average volume per store allowed for food chain industry to spread rising costs over an expanded base and hold profit margins to a modest decline in fiscal 1969-70. As a result of the enormous increase in store volume– quantity of goods sold– over the previous year, price increases were held to a minimum. At the same time, the long- term trend in margins and profits continued to decline. Net earnings as a percent of sales dropped from 1.02 percent in 1968- 69 to .92 percent in 1969- 70, the lowest figure since 1952. This means that less than a penny of every dollar consumers spend in the average local chain store supermarket can be called "profit". So far as consumers are concerned, the average food chain might as well be a nonprofit institution. If the profit were wiped out altogether, the housewife would never notice the difference in her grocery bill.

Yet, in another way, she would notice a big difference if that small profit were removed from the books of the nation's food retailers. It represents the incentive that keeps retailers in business. That fraction of a penny keeps alive the profit motive. More than that, it is a tribute to the efficiency of our competitive distribution system. Today's mass retail food distributor gets a lot of mileage out of a penny, and the consumer is the main benefactor.

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"No wonder Monette gets A's in French. Her parents were born in Paris and they speak nothing but French at home."

"In that case, I should get A's in geometry. My folks are squares and talk in circles.

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HARD TO FOLLOW

THE MINISTER asked for anyone who knew a truly perfect person to stand up.

After a long pause, a meek-looking fellow in the back arose. "Do you really know a perfect person?" the minister queried.

"Yes, sir, I do," answered the little man.

"Won't you please tell the congregation who this rare, perfect person is?" pursued the minister.

"Yes, sir. It was my wife's first husband."

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TAX MYTH EXPLODED

The myth that corporations have received too much tax relief- as compared with individuals— is simply not true, according to the National Association of Manufacturers.

U.S. Treasury Department statistics show the following results of major tax legislation since 1969:

For the years 1969- 1972:

Corporate income tax revenues increased by $4.9 billion;

Individual income tax revenues decreased by $18.9 billion.

For the years 1969- 1980, if there are no further changes in the tax laws, it is estimated that net corporate income tax revenues will have decreased by $8.1 billion compared with a whopping $140.7 billion revenue decline which is expected in individual income taxes during this period.

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Pollution is one of those things that everybody talks about and everybody does something about— like contributing to it.

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A GOOD REASON

DRIVING IN A dense fog, the motorist followed the tail light ahead of him for a full hour, free from worry. Suddenly the red beacon stopped and the two cars collided sharply.

"Hey, why didn't you pump your brakes to let me know you were going to stop?" yelled the man to the driver ahead of him.

"And just why in the blinkty- blank blue blazes should I?" came the angry reply. "I'm in my own garage!"

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HERITAGE OF FREEDOM

Mr. Charles B. Shuman, recently retired head of the nation's largest farm organization, the American Farm Bureau Federation, has been a lifelong advocate of the free market and private enterprise in agriculture. Under his leadership, the American Farm Bureau and its nearly two million members steadfastly supported proposals for the gradual dismantling of the bureaucratic and costly agricultural programs of government supply management. Mr. Shuman called them "payments, permits and peasantry." He has left a heritage of independence in agriculture that will make itself felt in years to come.

As U.S. taxpayers, which include millions of farmers, grow tired of seeing the government pour billions of dollars down the rathole of unworkable government farm programs, a simple truth expressed by Mr. Shuman must eventually be recognized. He said, "The future of agriculture lies in producing for the market-- in producing the things for which consumers indicate a preference by the way they spend their money. This means that the price system must be allowed to guide changes in production and consumption."

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Gabriel often blows his horn for careless drivers who don't.

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The Department of Health, Education and Welfare has proposed a $23,000 study to determine why youngsters fall off their tricycles.

H.L. Hunt

A POTENTIAL VICTORY

The Freedom side has won a potential victory, one which can become permanent if good citizens continue to cause elected officials to consider the consequences of the proposed hugh natural gas deal with Soviet Russia. Six U.S. firms were expected to sign before the end of 1972 to go ahead with the plan to provide the capital and technology, along with the U.S. taxpayer, for exploitation of Siberian hydrocarbon resources.

Wise arguments have caused a slowdown in these plans. For one thing, after furnishing billions of dollars and priceless technological know- how, U.S. companies would have to pay $1.50 per 1,000 cubic feet for the Soviet natural gas, compared to the current U.S. price of only 20 cents per 1,000.

The plan involved paying $40 billion to the communists for natural gas, which they could cut off at any time they choose. They could also double the price, if they chose, and we would be helpless to do anything about it, once we had crippled our domestic hydrocarbon industry. Doubt is growing that the claimed Soviet gas reserves are sufficient, and they are unwilling to allow tests to reassure the U.S. companies that any investment is worthwhile.

The wiser plan would be to remove the artificial price ceilings on our own gas. It would be much smarter to pay 40 cents or 80 cents per 1,000 cubic feet to our own land owners, royalty owners, energy companies and workers, all of whom are U.S. taxpayers, and thus provide incentive for finding new domestic reserves than to pay $1.50 or $2 or $5 per 1,000 to the Soviets. It is not necessary to pay $1.50 or $2 for U.S. gas, but it would be better than paying it outside our nation. HLH

Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Jack Anderson

JACK ANDERSON SAYS:
Richardson's Parting 'Gift'

WASHINGTON — As a parting gift, Secretary Elliot Richardson of Health, Education and Welfare is leaving behind a blueprint for slashing billions in federal programs for the needy, sick and aged.

In a classified memo written shortly after he agreed to move to the Pentagon, Richardson recommends that the states be given federal funds to take over dozens of social programs now run from Washington.

These include such popular and beneficial projects as Head Start, aid to education, food for the aged, help for alcoholics, VD control, rodent extermination and the drug addiction fight.

The takeover by the states is called "Special Revenue Sharing' but its prospects are so chancy that even Richardson suggests state governors will have to be watched every minute. Besides loosening HEW control of the money, the plan makes congressional overseeing almost impossible.

In giving governors federal school funds, for example, the able Richardson reminds incoming HEW secretary Caspar Weinberger that, "education is an area where States have strong incentives to disobey federal regulations.

"Our recent audits of Title I funds suggest that where possible, states (and school boards) will use these funds to substitute for rather than supplement local programs. For these reasons, the kinds of strings we place on the ...packages are particularly important."

Richardson also cautions that politically- motivated governors are not above diverting federal cash away from the intended recipients: Poor whites, blacks, Chicanos and Indians.

--Sneaky
State Houses--

The governors, he fears, may "reallocate funds away from (these) politically vulnerable groups," and into their own favorite projects. To block such money juggling, his confidential memo proposes "enforcement procedures," ranging from fund cut- offs to federal investigations of citizen complaints.

Yet Richardson suggests the federal government abandon such agencies for the poor as Head Start and the Community Action Programs which run 90 per cent of Head Start's projects.

There may be problems, Richardson explains, "as states and localities eliminate Head Start projects which are regarded as politically troublesome." Head Start, which trains preschoolers, is given one more year by Richardson before he would cut it adrift from HEW.

As outlined in his memo, the present $400 million in federal Head Start funds would then be cut back to $60 million, just enough for research and experimental activities.

A shift of Treasury cash to the states is also proposed for $2.6 billion (B) in education money, $66 million for vocational training, $130 million for fighting addiction, $70 million to combat alcoholism, $33 million in VD controls and $42 million for the aged.

As reasons for his drastic dismantling of the federal domestic aid machinery, Richardson writes:

"HEW can manage well only a limited number of programs ... The remainder ... should be given to the states and localities in a form which they will find most useful ... To attempt too much is to accomplish nothing at all."

Footnote: Now that Richardson has opened the door to killing off federal aid, the White House is trimming U. S. cash intended for the states, thus ending some programs entirely.

--Washington Whirl--

Blue Yonder Ferry -- Air Force generals from Bolling Air Force Base hop on an elegantly appointed ship every morning for a ride down the Potomac to the Pentagon. What the generals don't know, however, is that beneath the redpile carpeting, the ship is practically falling apart. Official documents show that the 32- year- old vessel is in need of $26,025 in repairs, about what the vessel originally cost in 1940. Air Force inspectors have ordered daily inspections of the ship to make sure it doesn't go under on its ferry run with the big brass.

Congressional Comeback -- Rep. Ogden Reid, D-N.Y., is proposing a new superagency within the General Accounting Office to restore congressional powers whittled away over the past decades by the White House. Congress is peeved because the administration has been overspending for military needs, yet refuses to spend all the funds that Congress appropriates for the environment. The Reid bill would give the GAO power to block the executive branch from spending more (or less) than Congress provides. It would also let the GAO haul administration officials into the federal courts for contempt proceedings if they refuse to testify or to produce records for GAO probers.

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

WASHINGTON — Some of the nation's most influential labor leaders have just made an offer Jimmy Hoffa is certain they can't refuse. They've been invited to sit on the dais alongside him at a banquet testimonializing Jimmy as "a great labor leader."

The "feed" is at a Cherry Hill, N.J., nightclub -- an intoxicating spot from which to attempt launch a march back to awesome national power from prison and that Elba in the sun, Hoffa's luxurious Bal Harbour, Fla., condominium. Actually, it won't be a march. Hoffa can take off from his swimming pool - studded home in his limousine fully equipped with chauffeur and bodyguard.

This banquet, scheduled for Feb. 9, is the conversation piece these days at the Hotel Diplomat, in Hollywood, Fla., just up the road a piece from Jimmy, where the Teamsters' powerful International Executive Board members are gathered. Most of them don't want to dishonor Jimmy publicly. Nor do they want to honor him either.

The dinner is strangely being "thrown" by an obscure regional chap, John Greeley, leader of Local 676 Teamsters, Camden (N.J.).

It is his round - robin letter to AFL-CIO officials, auto union leaders as well as national Teamsters chiefs, which contains that "try- it- you'll - like - it" offer. Obviously Mr. Greeley has been inspired. But by whom? This is no ordinary beef brew. The scheduling is not accidental.

After midnight, March 10, James Riddle Hoffa, ex-convict No. 33298, will no longer be required to report to his parole officer in Detroit. He is free of any U. S. Parole Board restrictions. Only President Nixon's strictures remain -- no direct or indirect management of any labor organization or Jim Hoffa goest back to prison until March 1980.

Obviously, Hoffa plans to defy the President. No one should underestimate the drive, the strength, the influence, the doggedness, the brashness, the sheer taut steel nerves and nerve of Jimmy. Though a millionaire, he's going for broke. Money's not the thing, though it was originally. It's the fetish for power which moves this 59-year - old bantam.

And the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, I do believe, is the world's most powerful union. In the wrong man's hands it could decide the way the U. S. should stand still.

It has over 2.1 million members, almost 11 per cent of all union labor, more than 2.5 per cent of all American wage earners, and claims "its collective bargaining involves more people than employed by AT&T, GE, GM, Ford, RCA and the next top dozen blue-chip companies combined.

If centrally and ruthlessly directred, it could move into any coaltion or labor federation and dominate it -- be it national or international. That's power. That's Hoffa.

Insiders believe his trategy is simple: The Feb. 9 banquet will be his coming - out party -- the move from Elba. Then he plans to accept the job offer made to him last year by Dave Johnson, president of his 18,000 - member home Local 299 in Detroit. This move would give him some special status in the local and the movement -- either as a consultant, pension manager, business agent, or even as a replacement for Johnson, who reportedly would be glad to retire or turn emeritus for Hoffa.

After that Jimmy, truly a friend of some of the nation's ugliest underworld forces, could again move among the rank and file, right on the truck- loading platforms, the docks and in the warehouses.

Then up the ladder to the presidency of the regional Michigan Conference, the 13-state Central States Conference, ultimately the international presidency at the 1976 national convention.

Thus, the national spotlight will be on incumbent general president Frank (Fitz) Fitzsimmons. He is far more now than simply one of a score of powerful internationally - known labor executives. He is a confidant of President Nixon. He is one of Phase Three's 10-man Labor - Management Advisory Board. In a sense, he has been Mr. Nixon's in-house labor chief.

What does Fitz think? He tells friends, "I can't comprehend him (Hoffa). I don't understnad what he's doing."

Well, the watch is on. An official of the Justice Dept.'s Office of the Pardon Attorney says they will be keeping their eye on Hoffa and "there is not going to be any buck - passing. As soon as it is brought to our attention that Hoffa has violated the President's ban on labor action before 1980, one or more people in the Justice Dept. will take a look and the decision will be made whos responsibility it will be to zero in (on Hoffa)."

And the President is reportedly set to send the U. S. marshall immediately after Hoffa to take him back to that Elba in the North known as Lewisberg Penitentiary.

But Hoffa has been known to defy the law and to work the courts for years. And his appeals may outlast this administration. Napolenic history holds no fears for Jimmy.

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Legislature may be caught in middle of lib battle

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Missouri legislators may soon be caught in the middle of a battle between women pushing for adoption of the Equal Rights Amendment (ERA) to the U.S. Constitution and other women's groups who are organizing the oppose it.

The ratification measure has been introduced as a resolution in the Senate and has received the endorsment of Gov. Christopher S. Bond. But according to some legislators, it will face a tough battle.

Rep. Rober O. Snyder, RKirkwood, the House minotiry floor leader, "There's a possibility we'll run into real problems with this women's lib resolution."

After being approved by Congress last spring it was quickly approved by 22 states (six states approved it within 48 hours). It takes ratification by 38 states to add the amendment to the constitution.

Era's advocates made a mistake. They forgot to ask all the women.

Sen. Mary L. Gant, D-Kansas City, and the first woman senator in the state's history said, "Ray Howard (D-St. Louis) couldn't even find a co-sponsor for his resolution to adopt the amendment. He looked over and grinned at me when he introduced it because he knows I'm against it."

Missouri may turn out to be like Illinois. Passage of Era in that state legislature seemed to be assured, but that was before Mrs. Phyllis Schlafly, Alton, Ill., and the "stop ERA committee" got involved.

After their opposition, it made it through the Illinois Senate by a slim margin, but was bottled up in a House committee.

The "stop ERA committee" plans a big push in Missouri's 77th General Assembly.

Ann McGraw, head of the St. Louis chapter of the "Stop ERA Committee" said, "we're definitely optimistic about stopping it in Missouri. Our organization was instrumental in stopping it in Illinois and we can do it here if we can mobilize women to see the ramifications of this thing."

The women who oppose ERA say they are not against equal rights for women. They are worried some of the privileges women now enjoy will be destroyed by it.

"This amendment will deprive wives, mothers and draftage girls of precious rights and privileges they now possess," Mrs. Schlafly said in one public statement.

Mrs. McGraw said she is against the ERA because, "the women who are pushing this thing want to interpret the amendment absolutely ... I have two daughters and I don't want them treated like men."

Both her daughters are also active in the efforts to stop the amendment.

"This isn't a bunch of little domestic housewives who are against it," says Sen. Gant, "these are women who have a strong commitment to the American family unit and feel this measure will hurt it.

"I think women deserve protection under the law. This lowers our status by removing our protection."

The ERA opponents are against being drafted into the military, losing work protection laws, being forced to take a 50 per cent responsibility for the family unit.

They also fear the traditional place of the family as an American social unit will be threatened.

Miss Lydia Miller, the head of "Women Opposed to ERA," a Kansas City organization, says, "too often this is considered a woman issue but it will effect men and also children, and it's not going to really help women politically or economically ... we already have all the laws we need on the books."

Water plant payments ok'd

NEW MADRID — In a short mid- month meeting Monday night, the city council approved power plant construction payments, appointed a new night marshal and dog catcher, and discussed other business.

Construction payments totaling $197,698.27 were approved for the city's 600 megawatt steam generating plant in St. Jude Industrial Park. Included in the total are construction payrolls of $17,470.99 for the week of Jan. 5 and $28,003.92 for the week of Jan. 12.

The appointment of Othal Sheppard as parttime night marshal and dog catcher was unanimously approved by the council.

In other business, Duane Youngquist of the firm of Riddle Engineering of Kansas City presented a bill of $14,639.89 for engineering fees charged by his firm for the recent completed city water treatment plant. On advice of city attorney Hal E. Hunter, the council offered payment of $9,049.40, which is all that is due, according to Hunter's interpretation of the contract.

City administrator Don Lloyd told the board the city had received a second revenue sharing check of $414,639.89 bringing the total received to nearly $30,000, which is $22,000 less than anticipated.

River Stages

MISSISSIPPI RIVER

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Chester	27	12.6	Sta
Cape Girardeau	32	18.6	-.8
Cairo	40	31.1	-2.3
New Madrid	34	23.4	-2.0
Caruthersville	32	24.5	-1.8

FORECAST

At Chester the river will remain steady Wednesday; rise .3 Thursday; and fall .1 Friday.

At Cape Girardeau the tiver will fall .1 Wednesday; remain steady Thursday; and fall .1 Friday.

At Cairo the river will fall 2.3 Wednesday; fall 1.6 Thursday; and fall 1.1 Friday.

At New Madrid the river will fall 2.4 Wednesday; fall 2.4 Thursday; and fall 1.5 Friday.

At Caruthersville the river will fall 1.9 Wednesday; fall 1.8 Thursday; and fall 1.7 Friday.

OHIO RIVER

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Golconda	40	20.5	-2.4
Paducah	39	22.2	-2.6
Grand Chain	42	31.1	-2.6

FORECAST

At Golconda the river will fall 1.3 Wednesday; fall .8 Thursday; and fall .8 Friday.

Pros. attorney for Stoddard moves office

DEXTER — Pros. Atty. Tom Baker has moved into his new office in the Loper-Trammel building at the corner of Stoddard and Locust Streets. The phone number for the new prosecuting attorney is 624-4554.

2 accidents reported

Icy conditions on area highways Monday resulted in two accidents with minor injuries, according to the highway patrol.

Dorothy Moore, 51, of Perryville suffered head cuts in an accident at 7:15 a.m. one mile north of Perryville on Highway 51 when her car went out of control on icy pavement, ran down an embankment and struck a tree. She was taken to Perry County Hospital in Perryville.

A two- car accident at 8:05 a.m. on Route U four miles west of Caruthersville resulted in minor scratches and bruises to Geraldine Walker, 37, of Blytheville, Ark. She was taken to Chickasawba Hospital in Blytheville.

The accident occurred as the Walker car was passing a car driven by Donna Crain, 30, of Bragg City. Mrs. Walker lost control of her vehicle on icy pavement and sideswiped the Crain auto.

Lastinger is new fireman

Kenneth Lastinger, 727 N. Main St., joined the fire department, effective today, according to City Manager Jim Huff.

Lastinger, 29, was employed by the Dyersburg, Tenn., fire department for five years before coming to Sikeston. He had been in the city about eight months.

He is married.

Change stolen from tavern

Sunday night or Monday morning a thief took $30 in change from the Wagon Wheel tavern at 849 W. Malone Ave.

Entrance was gained by breaking open the back door, according to police.

The Mike Bohannon residence at 205 S. Handy was entered between 1:30 and 2:30 p.m. Monday.

Taken was $15 in change. Entrance was gained through the back door.

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Calendar of Events

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Sikeston Extension Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Fred Steward, 1009 N. Kingshighway.

TUESDAY
Morehouse Chapter No. 450, Order of the Eastern Star, will hold its regular stated meeting at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic hall in Morehouse. District deputy grand matron Nadine Collins will make her official visit.

TUESDAY
Delta Gamma Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Charles Baldwin, 102 Link Drive.

TUESDAY
Tau Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Dave Keenan, 124 Autumn.

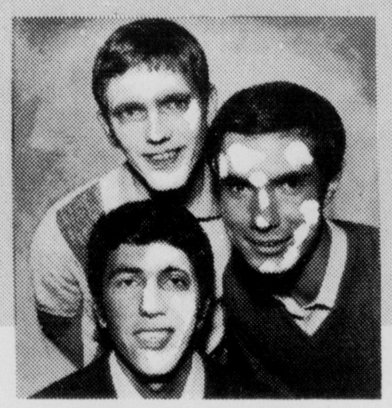
"Fleas can be taught nearly anything that a Congressman can."(Mark Twain)

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A—Usually the oak.

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Women's Page



Mr. and Mrs. James Wiley Lipscomb

Lipscomb-Faulkner

NEW MADRID — Karen Dale Faulkner and James Wiley Lipscomb were united in marriage in a double-ring ceremony on Dec. 28, 1972 at 2 p.m. in New Madrid Baptist Church with the Rev. Edward Wolfe officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vurtis Faulkner of New Madrid Route One, and the groom is the son of Mrs. J. W. Lipscomb of Jonesboro, Ark.

A Christmas setting formed the background with one arched candelabra with white tapers graced on both sides by basket arrangements of poinsettias. Greenery and poinsettias were arranged around the choir loft and red satin bows marked the pews. Candle arrangements were placed in each of 12 windows on each side of the church.

Candlelighters and ushers were Kenneth Faulkner, brother of the bride, and Gary Vaughn, brother-in-law of the bride.

Mrs. Mage Gibson, organist, played wedding selections and the traditional wedding march. Mrs. Doris Jo Lewis played the piano as she sang, "We've Only Just Begun", preceding the ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, chose for her wedding a formal gown of sheerganza and re-embroidered lace. The empire bodice featured a high neckline trimmed with pink re-embroidered lace and tiny pearls also used on the long Queen Ann sleeves and the waistline. The lace also accented the A-line skirt and continued into the semi-cathedral train. She chose a three-tier veil of imported English illusion held secure with a contour cap of re-embroidered lace and accented with tiny pearls for her headpiece. She carried a bridal bouquet of red carnations encircled with pink roses.

The bride chose Mrs. Sondra Faulkner, a sister-in-law, as matron of honor. Miss Carol Wolfe served as bridesmaid, and Angela Faulkner, niece of the bride, was flowergirl.

The matron of honor wore a floor-length velveteen gown fashioned with an empire waistline and a rounded neckline. The bodice was soft pink and the softly gathered skirt was red.

The bridesmaid was attired in a solid red velveteen gown identical to that of the matron of honor. They each wore open pillbox headpieces of matching red velveteen with pink, net, nosetip veils. The flowergirl was attired in a solid pink floor-length gown fashioned with an empire waist, high neckline and a red velveteen sash at the empire waist. She wore a red velveteen bow with long streamers in her hair and carried a small white basketwith red and pink satin bows and holding red and pink carnations. The matron of honor and bridesmaid carried pink and red carnation nosegays with pink and red satin streamers.

The groom chose Danny Dollins of Paragould, Ark., as best man and Keith Bean of Orlando, Fla., as groomsman. The ringbearer was Kevin Kerr of Matthews, cousin of the bride.

The bride's mother wore a gray and white three-piece suit with gray accessories, and the groom's mother wore a gray double-knit suit with gray accessorits. Both wore white carnation corsages.

A reception was held in the dining room of the church following the ceremony. The bride's table was also decorated with a Christmas setting. The centerpiece was a red and green flower arrangement with red candles on each side. The traditional wedding cake, topped with a miniature bride and groom, was at one end of the table and a crystal punch bowl was on the other end. Serving at the reception were Ginger Walls, Vanetta Darter and Phyliss Wescoat, cousin of the bride. Miss Kim Euide of Bald Knob, Ark., presided at the guest book.

The couple left the reception for Jonesboro, Ark., to make its home. The new Mrs. Lipscomb attended Arkansas State University and is now working. Lipscomb is a student at Arkansas State University.

Out-of-town guests were Jenny Young of Wynne, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. Don Lewis and family of Kennett and Mrs. I. V. Simmons and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Simmons of St. Louis.

Correction

The wedding rehearsal dinner for David O. Mulcahy and Sharon Davis was given Dec. 8 a the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Mulcahy, rather than at the home of Mrs. Edna Mulcahy as reported in Monday's Daily Standard.

Sen. Ervin of N.C. guest of DAR club

Sen. Sam J. Ervin Jr. of North Carolina was guest at the January meeting of the Kingshighway Chapter of Daughters of the American Revolution.

He explained faults of the constitutional amendment for equal rights for women in which he stated that 19-year-old girls are subject to the draft, a husband will no longer be the sole support of his wife and family, and sex will no longer be a determining factor in the distribution of the labor force. A resolution, passed at the National Society of Daughters of the American Revolution in Washington at their 81st continental congress pertaining to opposition to passage of the amendment, was read, and members were given a chance to sign the opposition paper which is to be sent to state legislatures.

The meeting was held at the home of Miss Margaret Harris with Mrs. Helen Loud Jones as co-hostess.

Steve Stricker of Charleston was introduced by Mrs. Art Provence of Charleston after Sen. Ervin's speech. He presented a program on his tour of duty in South Vietnam by showing a selection of slides of life at Long Binh, a military complex outside Saigon. He opened his commentary by saying he went to Vietnam determined to make his stay there worthwhile and had enjoyed his assignment overseas.

A social hour followed the program.

Q—What products from trees are among "naval stores"?
A—Resin, turpentine, pitch, tar.

Q—What is the source of the inscription on the Liberty Bell?
A—The Bible's Book of Leviticus, chapter 25, verse 10.

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For example: One night I was feeling especially romantic (we had been married less than six months) and my husband wasn't in the mood, so I put on my wedding gown. It was a marvelous aphrodisiac! The wedding gown ended up being a nightgown. I slept in it at least a dozen times after that and then moved the zipper from the back to the front and wore it as a beach cover- up. It was perfect.

A few weeks ago the zipper broke so I made a smock out of the dress and yesterday I washed the car in it.

So you see, Ann, if a woman uses her noodle she can really get her money's worth out of an expensive wedding gown. I paid $200 for mine and it doesn't owe me one cent.--- Bonita In Birmingham

Dear Bon Bon: Now you're what I call a girl with natural resources. But everyone can't sleep in her wedding gown. Some gowns have skin- tight sleeves, a couple dozen buttons down the back, lace insets, not to mention wire- hooped skirts, embroidered rosettes, seed- pearls and sequin trims. This would be murder to sleep on. But thank you for your suggestion. I wouldn't be surprised if dozens of women went to bed in their wedding gowns tonight.

Dear Ann Landers: Today I ran across "A Prayer For The Driver" in a Motor Trade magazine and I hope you will print it. It gives every driver of a motor vehicle something to think about. The author is unknown.--- California Reader In Fullerton

Dear Full: Thank you for sharing. The prayer is, indeed, worth printing. Here it is:

"Lord, impress on me the great responsibility that is mine when I get behind the wheel of my automobile. When I would be careless, remind me that I have in my hands the power of life and death. Write indelibly upon my consciousness that I am a potential murderer, that in one careless moment I could put an end to the lives of some innocent victim, my family, and my own life.

"Help me to be thoughtful, patient, and in control of myself as I drive this car. Help me to extend the same kindness and consideration to others that I would like them to extend to me.

"Give me, Oh Lord, a sense of perspective. Let me never become so foolish that I would take a chance with my own life or anyone else's just to save a few minutes. You know too well, Oh Lord, that heaven is full of people who made that mistake. Amen."

Confidential to Old Wine, New Bottles: Neither the wine nor the bottles are new. It's a story that goes back many centuries. Plato said, "Of all animals, a youth is the most unmanageable, inasmuch as he has the fountain of reason in him not yet regulated. He is the most insidious, sharpwitted, and insubordinate of animals."

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Mrs. Hydrick honored at retirement dinner

Mrs. Dessie Hydrick was honored at a retirement dinner Saturday by employes of Prudential Insurance Company at The Rustic Rock Inn.

Mrs. Hydrick began working for the company on April 19, 1937 at Poplar Bluff and moved to Sikeston in 1944 when the offices moved.

She received a plaque and gifts for her 35 years of service.

Among the 40 persons attending were guests from Poplar Bluff, Paducah, Ky., Cape Girardeau, Sikeston and Cairo, Ill.

Nurse aide classes begin

There will be a nurse aide screening Thursday at Sikeston Activity Center at 8:30 a.m. The class, sponsored by Delta Area Economic Opportunity Corporation, will run for eight weeks with no pay while in training.

Anyone interested in the training should contact counselor Sheila Layton at 471-4113, 201 South Kingshighway.

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By PHIL PASTORET

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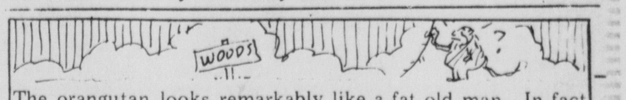
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PAZDERA — Mr. and Mrs. Victor Pazdera of Charleston are parents of a son born Jan. 7 at Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston. The baby weighed six pounds eight ounces and has been named Scott Anthony. He is the fourth child, first son.

Mrs. Pazdera is the former Mary McMillen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie McMillen of Bertrand. Pazdera is the son of Mrs. Josephine Pazdera of Charleston and the late Martin Pazdera. He is employed by Pazdera Construction Co. in Charleston.

BRAZEL — Mr. and Mrs. Larry Brazel of Cape Girardeau are parents of a daughter born Wednesday at 12:05 p.m. at the Southeast Missouri Hospital in Cape Girardeau. She weighed seven pounds five ounces and has been named Angela Lauren. She is the third child, second daughter.

Mrs. Brazel is the former Beechy Brown, daughter of Mrs. Elbert M. Brown of Charleston. Brazel is a farmer and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brazel of Grand Chain, Ill.

Hospital Notes

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY
Census Report 1-16-73

Area	Total Beds	Patients	Reserved Emer. Beds	Gen. Adm. Beds
Med.- Surg.	114	112	2	0
Pediatrics	29	14	0	15
Obstetrics	14	7	0	7
Intensive Care	7	3	0	4

Patients Scheduled For Admission Today: Twelve

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY
Released 1-1-5-73
Mrs. Leslie Whitten & Baby Boy, Matthews
Bernice Stewart, Charleston
Carl Cates, Bertrand
John Oscar Herron, East Prairie
Janice Matthews, Sikeston
Josephine Schwab, Sikeston
Francis A. Woodward, Sikeston
Frances DeLaney, Charleston
Nina Middleton, Sikeston
Marie Penrose, Morehouse
Davis Siars, East Prairie
Gus James, Sikeston
Markeeta Wyse, Sikeston
Earnest Sutton, Matthews
Dorsey Hearon, Morehouse
Martha Ward, New Madrid
Olivia Lee, Charleston
Mrs. Carol Riley & Baby Boy, Sikeston
Ethel Baugus, Sikeston
Annie Lee Sells, Matthews
Debra Sherrard, Sikeston
Roger Miller, Sikeston

Total Patients Discharged:	24
Total Patients Admitted:	20
Births:	0

EMERGENCY DEPT.

Accident Patients:	5
Medical Patients:	22
Other Patients:	6
Total Emer. Patients:	33

DEXTER MEMORIAL
Admitted:
Claude Freeman, Bell City
Caroline Eggert, Bernie
Robert Griffin, Sikeston
Hattie Jines, Parma
Claude Robey, Bloomfield
Sandra Crews, Parma
Mini Riefser, Essex
Dollie Smith, Dexter
Juanita McCoy, Dexter
Winifred Evans, Dexter
Danny Barks, Dexter
Virgina Jarrell, Dexter
Kim Worley, Dexter
Jeffrey Myers, Dexter
Jim Kincy, Dexter
Margaret Rendleman, Dexter
Nina Trapper, Dexter
Shirley Carney, Dexter
Chris Kennedy, Dexter
Released:
Curtis Session, Essex
Eva Terrill, Parma
Charlie Ross, Bloomfield
Melba Bonds, Bill City
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Highlights and sidelights

JEFFERSON CITY — If the observations of some women legislators are correct, the equal rights amendment will face an uphill battle in the Missouri Legislature.

Even the sponsor of the resolution, Rep. Sue Shear (D-Clayton) senses a struggle for passage. " don't know if there's enough votes in the House to pass it," she said. "I'm going to do everything in my power to see that it passes."

The only woman in the Senate, Mary L. Gant (D-Kansas City) said the amendment's chance of passage in that body is nil. "Ray Howard (D-St. Louis) couldn't even find a sponsor in the Senate," she said.

The proposed amendment, which was passed by both houses of Congress in 1972, states that equality of rights shall not be abridged or denied on account of sex. It must be ratified by the legislatures of 38 states over the next seven years to become law. To date, 22 states have passed it.

Adoption of the proposed amendment could mean that both men and women would be eligible for the draft. In Missouri, a woman would no longer be exempt from jury duty.

Groups which support the proposed amendment include the League of Women Voters, the Women's Political Caucus, the National Organization of Women, the Communication Workers of America and Common Cause. Those groups opposed include Homemaker's United Effort and the Committee for the Protection of Women and Children.

Rep. Shear said she supported the amendment because it "reaffirms the Fourteenth Amendment. It will set a climate for change."

She said women feel threatened by the passage of this amendment because "they think everyone has to go out and compete." But, she said, it does not force a woman to go out and work if she does not want to, it only guarantees her equal opportunity on the job if she wants to work.

One of the big arguments against the amendment, Rep. Shear said, is that it will make women eligible for the draft. However, she pointed out, "women won't be serving on the front lines. They aren't capable of that because they aren't physically as strong."

Rep. Shear said she feels the amendment will help the progress of women because the Fourteenth Amendment says nothing about sex. "We have laws now that say equal pay for equal work, but the burden of proof is on the woman. This amendment reaffirms the Fourteenth Amendment with the word sex in it."

Rep. Judith O'Connor said she was advocating passage of the amendment at the beginning, but now is having doubts about it. "I'm just not sure at this point," she said. "In a lot of areas, women should receive the recognition they deserve. But I don't want to see women lose some of the advantages they now have."

One specific area she said she is concerned about is whether a woman still would be entitled to child support from a man who fathered her children and then left her. Another is the effect the proposed amendment would have on rape and right to privacy laws.

Rep. O'Connor also said she was not certain people could legislate equality on the basis of sex. "You're going to have to change the attitudes of society (toward women), but I'm not sure you can change the attitudes by passing a law."

She said she feels the proposed amendment stands less than a 50 per cent chance of passing both houses of the Legislature. The conservative trend of the Senate, as well as the conservative tradition of the state, will make passage difficult, she said.

Sen. Gant said she is opposed to the proposed amandment because it "removes the protection of the female in domestic relationships. The majority of the domestic women in my area don't want it."

She said she disagrees with the idea that a man could receive child support payments if his mate left him, and that she does not favor women being eligible for the draft.

"Women are retarding their efforts if they support this amendment," Sen. Gant said. "They're doing themselves a great injustice. Certain areas of the Social Security laws need to be changed, but I think the equal rights amendment is unnecessary."

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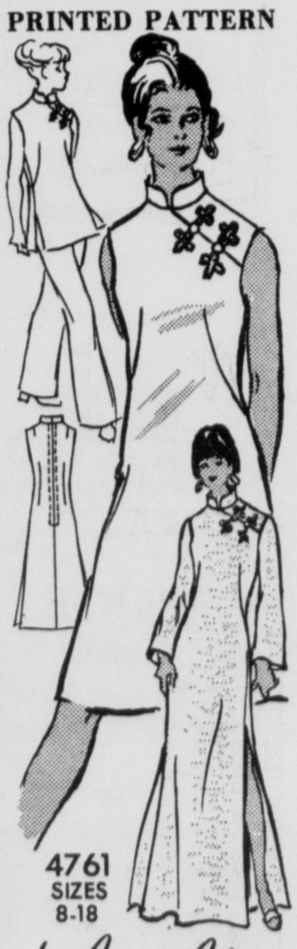
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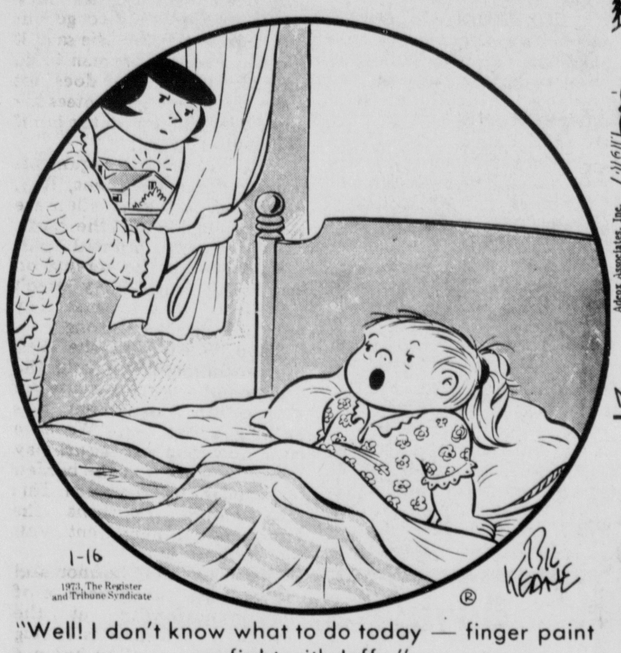
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Jumble

ACROSS

1 Cougar
5 Obi
9 Taxi
12 Mimicker
13 Athena
14 Falsehood
15 Amassed
17 Ohio town
18 Poker stakes
19 Built
21 Asterisk
23 Drunkard
24 Possessive pronoun
27 Too
29 Flat-topped hill
32 Revolve
34 One who looks askance
36 Expunger
37 Pawl (mech.)
38 Nature
39 Row
41 Dental degree
42 Brythonic sea god
44 Fall in drops
46 Ancient galley
49 Eat away
53 John (Gaelic)
54 Watercraft trips
56 Excavate
57 Girl's name
58 U.S. coin
59 Abstract being
60 For fear that
61 Being (Latin)

DOWN

1 Agoutilike rodent
2 Preposition
3 Dissolve
4 Medieval kingdom of France
5 Membranous pouch
6 Changes
7 Oracle
8 Cronus' son (myth.)
9 Rattled
10 Military assistant
11 Rosary part
16 Landed property
20 Heavenly body
22 Vigilant
24 Angers
25 Bull (Sp.)
26 Birds
28 Of greater age
30 Dispatch
31 Crafts
33 Fall flower
35 Weirder
40 Standards of perfection
43 Insurgent
45 Cost
46 Ocean movement
47 Precipitation
48 Burrower
50 Poems
51 Lairs
52 Italian city
55 Make lace

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

To develop message for Wednesday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

1 Attend	31 Works	61 An
2 Your	32 Proper	62 Error
3 Obligations	33 Back	63 Urges
4 And	34 Apparent	64 Ego
5 Change	35 Give	65 A
6 Young	36 In	66 Hand
7 Person	37 Ideas	67 Swell
8 To	38 Time	68 Social
9 Of	39 Planning	69 Interests
10 Those	40 Brings	70 To
11 Feels	41 Be	71 Romantic
12 Duties	42 Tone	72 Be
13 Slighted	43 Down	73 Modest
14 Keep	44 And	74 Tolerant
15 Increase	45 Check	75 Crystalize
16 Plans	46 Revisions	76 Evening
17 But	47 Prepared	77 Appear
18 Keep	48 Those	78 Maintain
19 In	49 For	79 Very
20 Subject	50 Now	80 Your
21 To	51 Your	81 Good
22 Errands	52 Travel	82 Results
23 That	53 Would	83 Active
24 Short	54 Study	84 Favor
25 Change	55 Require	85 Steady
26 Comings	56 Lend	86 Be
27 Money	57 Helping	87 Personal
28 Are	58 Be	88 Pace
29 Trend	59 And	89 Attention
30 Holding	60 Expensive	90 Thrifty

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W10 (Good) (Adverse) (Neutral)

ARIES MAR. 21 – APR. 19: 35-37-38-70 / 75-78-85-88

TAURUS APR. 20 – MAY 20: 30-33-50-53 / 58-61-62

GEMINI MAY 21 – JUNE 20: 6- 7-11-13 / 56-57-66

CANCER JUNE 21 – JULY 22: 5- 9-27-29 / 31-36-80-84

LEO JULY 23 – AUG. 22: 52-54-59-68 / 69-77-79-83

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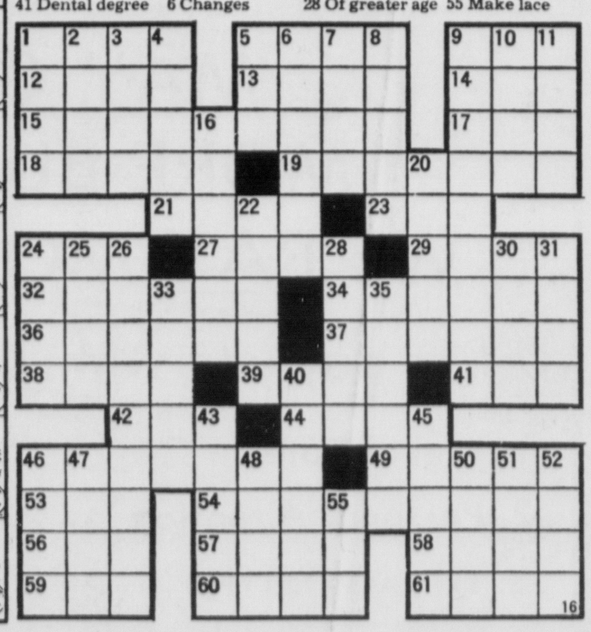
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CAPRICORN DEC. 22 – JAN. 19: 2- 3- 4-24 / 26-28-34

AQUARIUS JAN. 20 – FEB. 18: 1- 8-10-22 / 23-55-87-89

PISCES FEB. 19 – MAR. 20: 41-47-49-65 / 67-71-76



Today In History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Tuesday, Jan. 16, the 16th day of 1973. There are 349 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1920, the 18th Amendment ot the United States Constitution went into effect. Prohibition became law.

On this date:

In 1778, France recognized the independence of the United States.

In 1815, Portugal's South American colony of Brazil became a kingdom.

In 1883, the U.S. Civil serivce was formed.

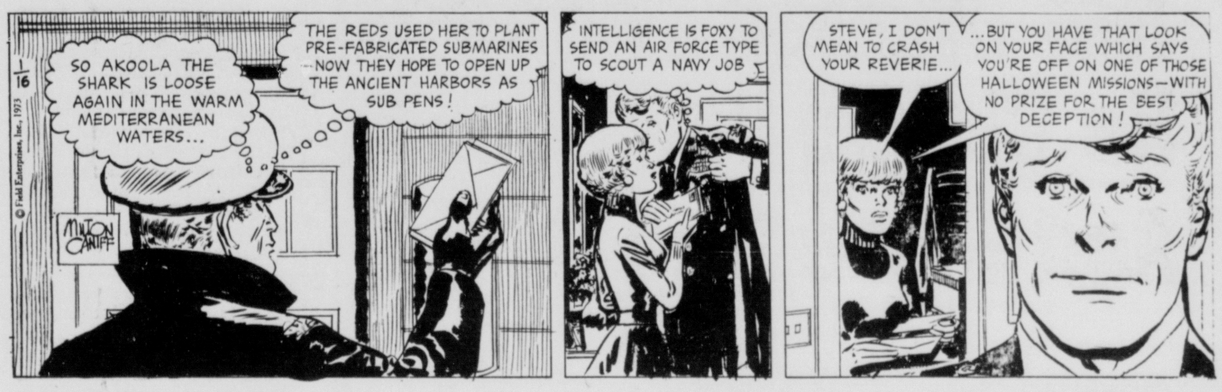
In 1893, U.S. Marines landed in Hawaii to restore order in a revolution in which the islands' monarchy was overthrown.

In 1942, screen star Carole Lombard and 21 others were killed in a plane crash near Las Vegas, Nev.

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Five Most Active

Dow Jones Industrial Averages at noon were down 2.63 on a volume of 7.90 million shares.

NYSE MOST ACTIVE:

Chrysler	39 1/8	-1/4
East. Air.	17 7/8	+1/4
Trans Am.	16 1/4	+1/2
Fly. Tiger	35 1/8	+1 1/8
Gulf Oil	27	UNC

LISTED STOCKS

Amer. Tele.	53
Anheuser Busch	54
Butler Natl	4 3/4
Champ Home Bldrs	12 1/8
Connrex	10 1/8
Cooper Tire	18 5/8
Evans Prod	23
Feld Leasing	14 3/8
Ford	77 1/2
GAF Corp.	18
Manchester Life rtMANL	12 1/8
Gen. Mtrs.	80 1/8
Interco	52
Durotesst	14 3/4
Keystone Indus	6 1/4
Malone & Hyde	34 3/4
Mid Am Gr Pl	1 1/4
Noranda Minees	41 3/4
Texaco	39 7/8
Transam.	16 1/4
Volume Shoe	22 3/4
Wetterau Foods	28 1/8

These quotations were provided at 11 a.m. today by Don Sarno, Account Executive, Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith, Inc., 220 North 4th Street, St. Louis, Mo. 63102. Call TOLL-FREE 1-800 392-3430.

Grain Market

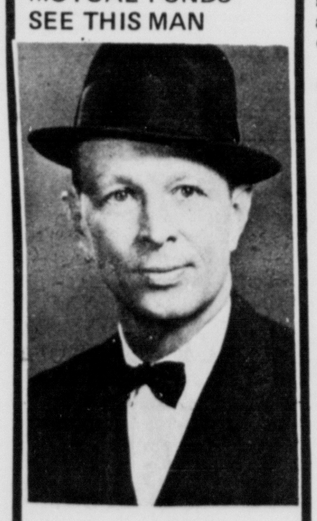
CHICAGO (AP) — Soybean futures opened the limit of 10 cents a bushel higher on the Chicago Board of Trade today. Wheat and corn futures prices also were strong.

On the opening, soybeans were 10 cents a bushel higher, January 4.49½; wheat was 1½ to 3 cents higher, March 2.70½; corn was ½ to 1⅜ higher, March 1.56¼ and oats were ⅛ to ¼ lower, March 94¼ cents.

Pair arrested

BERNIE— Police Chief Vernon Cornelison reported today that Robert H. Gilmore and Johnny Herbert Galloway, both 19, were arrested Monday night in connection with the burglary of the Rube Poplin home on Route One Saturday morning at 1:10 a.m. A total of $110 was reported taken.

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Five accident patients were treated Monday in the emergency room of Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

Carol Chanley, 11, East Prairie, cut left knee; Nancy Pehm, 21, Charleston, sprained left shoulder in fall. Wanda J. Copeland, 27, Sikeston, spilled hot coffee, receiving first degree burns to legs; James M. Barnes, 7, Sikeston, bruised neck in car accident; and Bruce O. Wallace, 63, Bismarck, sprained muscle.

Local Stock

	BID	ASK
1st Nat Bk of Sik	4½	5¼
Anheuser Busch	53¼	53¾
Frontier Tower	1½	2
Olson Bros	3¼	3¾
Martha Manning	2½	3
ICH Corp	8½	9
Pabst Brewing	63½	64
Downtowner	3	3½
Wetterau	28¼	28¾
LISTED STOCKS		
Allied Stores		36½
American Tel & Tel		53¼
American Motors		8¼
Calvert Exp		3¾
Chrysler		40¼
Columbia Gas		32
Eaton Mfg		40¼
Ford Motors		78½
General Motors		80½
Interstate Brands		14
Malone & Hyde		35
Mid South Util		26½
New England Elect		26¾
J. C. Penney		97½
Stelber Ind		10¾
WalMart Stores		33

EDITORS NOTE: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate price if one were a buyer.

Quotations furnished by Hugh T. McCollum, Registered Representatives for Rowland and Co. 1405 East Malone Phone 471-5350.

Demos attend Bond dinner

ST. LOUIS (AP) — There were several Democrats at a Republican fund raising dinner here Monday night.

The affair, attended by Gov. Christopher S. Bond and other Republicans who won top state offices in the Nov. 7 election, was held to raise money to pay off campaign debts. About 1,000 persons attended at $100 a plate.

Bond admitted to a reporter there is hard feeling among some Republican leaders to his appointing three Democrats to top posts. But he said he thinks it will be ironed out and pay off for the Republicans later.

"I'm delighted to have the Democrats here," Bond said. "I hope to build an administration with everyone."

One of the speakers at the dinner was Atty. Gen. John C. Danforth. He took note of the Republican complainers and chided them:

"If you want to complain, go into your bathroom and closed the doo. I'm not interested in hearing the gripes. Bond needs your continued support."

Danforth said the Republicans, now that they have captured the statehouse, must produce good, responsive government.

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Some people would do well to throw away disposable beer cans before opening them.

Neighbor says his fender couldn't be fixed, but the garage tinkered enough so it held together till his wife could ask him how HE smashed it.

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Deaths

LILLIE COX

EAST PRAIRIE— Mrs. Lillie Collier Cox, 77, of 606 O'Bryan St. died at 1:15 a.m. today in Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston.

She was born on May 23, 1895 in Carlyle County, Ky., and had lived in Mississippi County for 36 years. She was a member of Nelson Memorial United Methodist Church. Her husband, Lindsay Cox, died on April 2, 1955.

Surviving are one son, Floyd L. Cox of East Prairie; two daughters, Mrs. Lynn Edith Farquhar of East Prairie and Mrs. Faye Tietjen of Jefferson City; one half sister, Mrs. Elmis Clark of Hickman, Ky.; and 10 grandchildren and 12 great- grandchildren.

The body is at Shelby Funeral Home in East Prairie where arrangements are incomplete.

ETHEL CARBIN

Ethel L. Carbin, 72, of West Memphis, Ark., died at 6:30 p.m. Saturday at Sikeston in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lottie Nabors, after an illness of several months.

She was born on Nov. 3, 1900 at Ware, Miss.

Others surviving are one son, Lincoln Carbin of Chicago and 14 grandchildren and 17 great- grandchildren.

Services are scheduled at noon Wednesday with the Rev. J.W. Gwin officiating.

Dotson Funeral Home of Sikeston is in charge of arrangements.

JAMES M. TWITTY

DUDLEY — James Marion Twitty, 56, died at his home Monday.

He was born in Truman, Ark., on Nov. 24, 1916. He had lived in Dudley for 15 years. On Aug. 9, 1956, he married Mary Mae Powell Dowdy, who survives.

Other survivors include, one daughter, Mrs. Dean Ceary of Eddywall, Ark.; four stepdaughters, Wilma Lee Gilmore, JoAnn Dowdy, Rosemary Dowdy and Dianne Dowdy of Muskegon, Mich.; one stepson, William Dowdy of Muskegon; one brother, Johnny Twitty of Alton; one sister, Mrs. Muriel Danour of Chicago; and three grandchildren.

Friends may call at Watkins and Sons Funeral Home in Dexter where services are scheduled Wednesday at 2 p.m. The Rev. Boyd Morgan of Paragould, Ark., will officiate.

Burial will be in Dudley Cemetery.

ALICE PRUETT

DEXTER — Services for Mrs. Alice Pruett, 84, who died at 6:10 p.m. Saturday at Dexter Memorial Hospital, were conducted at 1:30 p.m. today at Chiles- Cooper Funeral Home in Bloomfield. The Rev. John Walker, pastor of Trinity United Methodist Church in Bloomfield, officiated.

Burial was in West Pleasant Valley Cemetery.

Mrs. Pruett was a lifetime Stoddard County resident, and was born Aug. 5, 1888 at Acorn Ridge.

She spent her childhood there and attended Skelton School.

In 1908 she married Owen Vernon Rhodes, who died in 1955. In July 1965, she married Oscar Pruett, who survives.

Mrs. Pruett was a member of West Pleasant Valley United Methodist Church.

Other survivors are one son, Clayton Rhodes of Bloomfield; one daughter, Mrs. Robert McDonald, of San Lorenzo, Calif.; two brothers, Fred Skelton of Puxico and Bill Skelton of Lancaster, Calif.; two sisters, Mrs. Bertha Baker, of Winter Haven, Fla., and Mrs. Leon Varble of Puxico; and four grandchildren and four great- grandchildren.

JULIA BELL ALLEN

WYATT — Mrs. Julia Bell Allen, 74, died at 10:20 p.m. Sunday at her home following an illness of more than a year.

Born May 5, 1898 in Mississippi, the former Miss Julia Bell Williams was married in 1923 to Eugene Allen, who survives.

She was a member of Holly Grove Baptist Church and a resident of Mississippi County since 1923.

Other survivors are two stepdaughters, Mrs. Irene Martin of Pontiac, Mich., and Mrs. Ernestine Jackson of Detroit, Mich.; and four stepgrandchildren and five great- step grandchildren.

The body is at Sparks Funeral Home at Charleston where friends may call Wednesday afternoon and night.

Services will be at 1 p.m. Thursday in Holly Grove Baptist Church with the Rev. A. L. Shavers, pastor, officiating.

Burial will be in Oak Grove Cemetery at Charleston.

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said "you can't shoot all the sharks in the sea, but you can shoot as many as you can."

The State Health Board would go under the Agriculture Department, and Cason conceded a case could be made for putting it in the Consumer Affairs department.

There would be a director of agriculture instead of the commission, as now. The director would appoint a head of the Division of Fruit Experiment Stations and director of the Division of Poultry Production. The Board of Trustees of the Experiment Stations and the State Poultry Board would be abolished.

The weights and measures functions of the Agriculture Department would be transferred to the department of consumer affairs.

The Department of Conservation would remain as it is now except for losing the Park Board, which would supervise the parks division in the Department of Natural Resources.

Created in the Department of Natural Resources would be the Division of Geological Survey and Water Resources, Boat Commission, State Land Survey Authority, Land Reclamation Commission, Commission On Soil and Water Districts, Air Conservation Commission, Kansas-Missouri Air Quality Commission, Clean Water Division, Water Resources Division, State Oil and Gas Council and State Interagency Council for Outdoor Recreation.

The governor would appoint members of the Kansas-Missouri Air Quality Commission and the Department of Natural Resources director would make all other appointments.

Partly because no statutory revision would be needed since the Board of Education now supervises junior colleges as well as elementary schools, the junior colleges would go under the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education.

Volkmer's bill would put junior colleges under supervision of the Department of Higher Education. A State Division of Libraries would take the place of the Library Commission and would be in the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education.

A nine-member coordinating board to be appointed by the governor drew much discussion over its authority to withhold funds.

Cason said the new board could withhold funds for grants if it didn't approve of a particular program in a university, but the university would still get is appropriation directly from the legislature.

Under the bill, the coordinating board in the Department of Higher Education would have no authority to confer the title ''university'' to an institution.

The coordinating board would define resident student status and set up up guidelines for new programs and determine student transfer rules. No more than five of the members could be from one political party and a congressional district could not have more than one representative.

In addition, an advisory board would serve at the behest of the coordinating board. The bill says the coordinating board could hold executive, or closed, sessions.

Spradling offered an amendment to give the coordinating board 90 days to select its executive director, rather than having the person picked at the first meeting.

In the Department of Highways, the Highway Commission would be retained and would appoint the chief engineer, who now is appointed by the governor.

All bridge compact commissions would be in this department. The highway patrol would go under the Department of Public Safety. The governor would appoint Highway Commission members.

The Department of Transportation would have a six-member commission appointed by the governor.

The commission would appoint the state transportation director. The new department would have power of condemnation and could receive and spend federal funds on transportation other than on highways.

It would have a Division of Aviation that would advise metroplitan aviation authorities and would assume aviation duties now in the division of industry and commer.

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research, Medical Service Programs and public education.

Mothers may volunteer by telephoning 472- 0072, the local chapter of the March of Dimes.

Mrs. Turner said this year's goal is $4,000.

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commission that federal grant money might be available to pay for part of the expansion.

The commission also recommended the rezoning of Third Street 200 feet north of Smith Street to Hart Street, from single family to multi- family.

The change will allow Rev. R. C. Martin of the Smith Street Church of God to build a housing unit for elderly people. Martin described the proposed structure, still in the planning stages, as a place for older people who don't need special care.

He said the rent would be nominal and that the primary purpose of the home was not to make money, but to provide a place for older people to live.

A large area of the L-shaped lot would be set aside as a park for the residents.

Martin stressed the home is his program, not the church's. The board will hold a special meeting Jan. 29 to discuss the revenue-expenditure study.

Bond creates emergency force

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Gov. Christopher S. Bond has set up a Governor's Energy Emergency Task Force to deal with Missouri's winter fuel shortage.

"The fuel shortage that occurred last week at the State Hospital at Fulton illustrated the need for a state agency that could act quickly in such an emergency," the governor said. "The governor's energy emergency task force will provide that necessary capability."

In his executive order Monday, which expires May 1, Bond said his office needs to assess consumer fuel needs, fuel distribution within the state, identify and act on special fuel problems when they arise and develop measures for energy conservation.

He appointed these members of the energy task force:

Hugh A. Sprague, the governor's legal assistant; Walter W. Novotny Jr., an assistant attorney general; Col. James B. Bash, coordinator of disaster operations of the adjutant general's office; Herbert Damron, director of the Division of Purchasing;

Omar Runge, director of the Division of General Services; Henry Maddox, director of the Division of Commerce and Industrial Development; Marvin E. Jones, chairman of the Public Service Commission; John O. Richey, chief engineer of the Public Service Commission;

Wallace B. Howe, state geologist; and Elgin Booker, supervisor of the Bureau of Motor Fuel and LP Gas Tax.

Weather bad again, farmers work one day

COLUMBIA, Mo. (AP) — Bad weather cut into Missouri's crop harvests again last week, with only one day suitable for field work on a statewide average.

The state Crop and Livestock Reporting Service said Monday wheat continued in fair to good condition, and topsoil mositure remained surplus in all areas.

Precipitation was light over the state, but snow fell early in the week, covering the western half of the state with a blanket of 4-5 inches of dry, fluffy snow.

Fourteen per cent of the corn crop remained in the field with only one per cent harvested last week. That harvest was most advanced in the northern third of the state and the boothell region.

By Saturday 83 per cent of the soybean crop had been harvested statewide—a 3 per cent increase over the previous week. Slow progress was reported in the southern third of the state.

grain sorghum was 86 per cent harvested, up 2 per cent from the previous week's level.

By the weekend 13 per cent of the cotton crop remained unpicked—with only 2 per cent harvested last week.



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Rams dump Chaffee

EAST PRAIRIE — The Scott- Mississippi County conference tournament opened Monday night at East Prairie with the Scott County Central B-team defeating Chaffee 60-59 in the first game. Fourth- seeded Chaffee then was dumped by the Illmo- Scott City Rams in the lone A-game 72-57. Third- seeded Oran wound up the action by taking a win over East Prairie 67-51 in another B-game bout.

Chaffee B-teamers pulled out to a seven- point lead during the first quarter, scoring 18 to the Braves' 11. Scott Central closed the gap during the second quarter and trailed 29-25 at halftime.

Scott Central came back from intermission and began a hot streak. The Braves dumped in 21 markers to come from behind and led the Red Devils by one point. Fourth- quarter scoring was tied at 14-all to leave Scott Central the winner.

Greg Pete had 16 points for his effort for the Braves. Jeff Jackson and Bill Williams followed with 12 each and Dean Pete added 11.

David McConnell led Chaffee with 21 markers and Tim Spencer came up with 11.

Illmo- Scott City held onto a first- quarter lead the entire game en route to the win over the fourth- seeded Chaffee varsity. Rand Amick dumped in 25 points to earn scoring honors for the Rams. Mike Schaefer followed with 13.

Chaffee got off to a bad start and slipped behind at the end of first- quarter action 17-10. The Red Devils failed to make any headway during the second frame and were down 34-23 at the half.

The Rams held the lead without much trouble in the third quarter. In the final quarter, both teams scored in the 20s but Chaffee did not have enough to pull out the win.

Scott Thomas led Chaffee with 20 markers while Pete Dooley hit 17.

Third- seeded Oran won over East Prairie in the final B- game. East Prairie ran into cold shooting during the first frame and Oran moved out to an 18-10 edge. The Eagles maintained the lead at halftime, 33-25.

Oran opened a 51-38 edge in the third frame and coasted to the win.

Ronnie Hurst hit 16 points for Oran. Tom Dirnberger followed with 13. Darrell Davenport was high for East Prairie with 18 markers and Tony High scored 15.

Tournament action tonight will see an A-game starting at 6 o'clock with Oran battling Delta. Delta's B-team will go against the Illmo- Scott City Rams at 7:30 and, in the final game, East Prairie will take on Scott Central in another A-game.

Scoring:
CHAFFEE (59)
McConnell 21, Crader 7, Newcomer 2, Spencer 11, Whitaker 9, Daughtery 7, Harrell 2. Totals: FG-20; FT-19; PF-15
SCOTT CENTRAL (60)
Jackson 12, G. Pete 16, D. Pete 11, Bevens 2, Porter 4, Williams 12, Windfield 3. Totals: FG-27; FT-6; PF-21.
Score by Quarters:
Chaffee 18 11 16 14—59
Scott Cennt. 11 14 21 14—60
CHAFFEE (57)
Dooley 17, Thomas 20, Choate 3, Scheeter 4, Vickery 9, Richbourg 2, Eichhorn 2. Totals: FG-21; FT-15; PF-19.
ILLMO-
SCOTT CITY (72)
Hillman 7, Gentry 9, Amick 25, Springs 4, Varnon 2, Schaefer 13, Wadlington 4, Crews 2, Killian 4, Dannenmuellar 2. Totals: FG-30; FT-12; PF-23.

Score by Quarters:
Chaffee 10 13 14 20—57
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ORAN (67)
Hurst 16, Dirnberger 13, Sclosser 9, Taylor 6, Anderson 6, Campbell 8, Hamm 4, Diebold 2, Atkinson 3. Totals: FG-27; FT-13; PF-20.

EAST PRAIRIE (51)
Davenport 18, Logdon 6, Williford 4, High 15, Marks 2, Mars 3, Tyus 2, Wood 1. Totals: FG-18; FT-15; PF-17.
Score by Quarters:
Oran 18 15 18 16—67
E. Prairie 10 15 13 13—51

High School Basketball

HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL
Monday's Results
Scott- Mississippi County Tourney.
Scott Central 60, Chaffee 59, (B-team)
Illmo - Scott City 72, Chaffee 57 (A-team)
Oran 67, East Prairie 51 (B-team)
Tuesday's Schedule
Oran vs. Delta (6:00) (A-team)
Delta vs. Illmo - Scott City (7:30) (B-team)
East Prairie vs. Scott Central (9:00) (A-team)
Perryville Invitational Tournament
Jackson vs. Perryville (6:00)
Meadow Heights vs. College High (7:30)
St. Vincent vs. Coulterville, Ill. (9:00)
Regular Schedule
Fredericktown at Richland
Bunker at Van Buren
Lesterville at Ellisnore
Risco at Cooter
Bloomfield at Dexter
Leopold at Zalma
Leadwood at Farmington
Potosi at Ste. Genevieve
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Bulldog matmen chew up bearcats

DEXTER— Dexter Bearcat matmen fell victim to the Sikeston Bulldog wrestlers for the second time this season Monday night, 43- 18.

Coach John Heacox's crew took three pins and four decisions along with two forfeits to win its fifth dual match of the season in six outings.

The Bearcats forfeited the 98- pound and heavyweight divisions to Steve Nowell and Bill Harlow respectively to put 12 points up for the SHS crew and a lead that was never threatened.

Tom Bridger, Sikeston's undefeated 105- pounder, started the varsity competition by beating Gant in a 6- 0 decision. Bridger has now won 12 matches this season and 17 straight in his career.

In the 112- pound division, Scott Hutchison ran his record to 11- 0 by pinning Denson of the Bearcats. It was also Hutchison's eighth pin of the season in 11 matches.

Jim Huff upped the team score to 24- 0 by beating Richey 9- 0 in the 119- pound division. Huff was outweighed 10 pounds by his opponent.

Phil Stinson, wrestling in the 126- pound division for the Bulldogs, beat Lemmons 5- 0 in one of the better matches of the evening.

Bill Lewis tallied six points to the growing Sikeston victory margin as he pinned Dexter's 132- pounder Satterfield.

Lee Vaughn rolled up a 15- 2 win over Hampton of the Bearcats in the 138- pound division and 145- pounder John Ralph followed by pinning Renfro.

In the 155, 167 and 185- pound divisions, the SHS grapplers ran into tough competition in Smith, Dement and England. The DHS trio collected successive pins over DeRoush, Blankenship and Moore.

The Sikeston jayvees also won their match over the Dexter jayvees, 36- 22, on three forfeits by Dexter and pins by Grimes, Crabb and Burns.

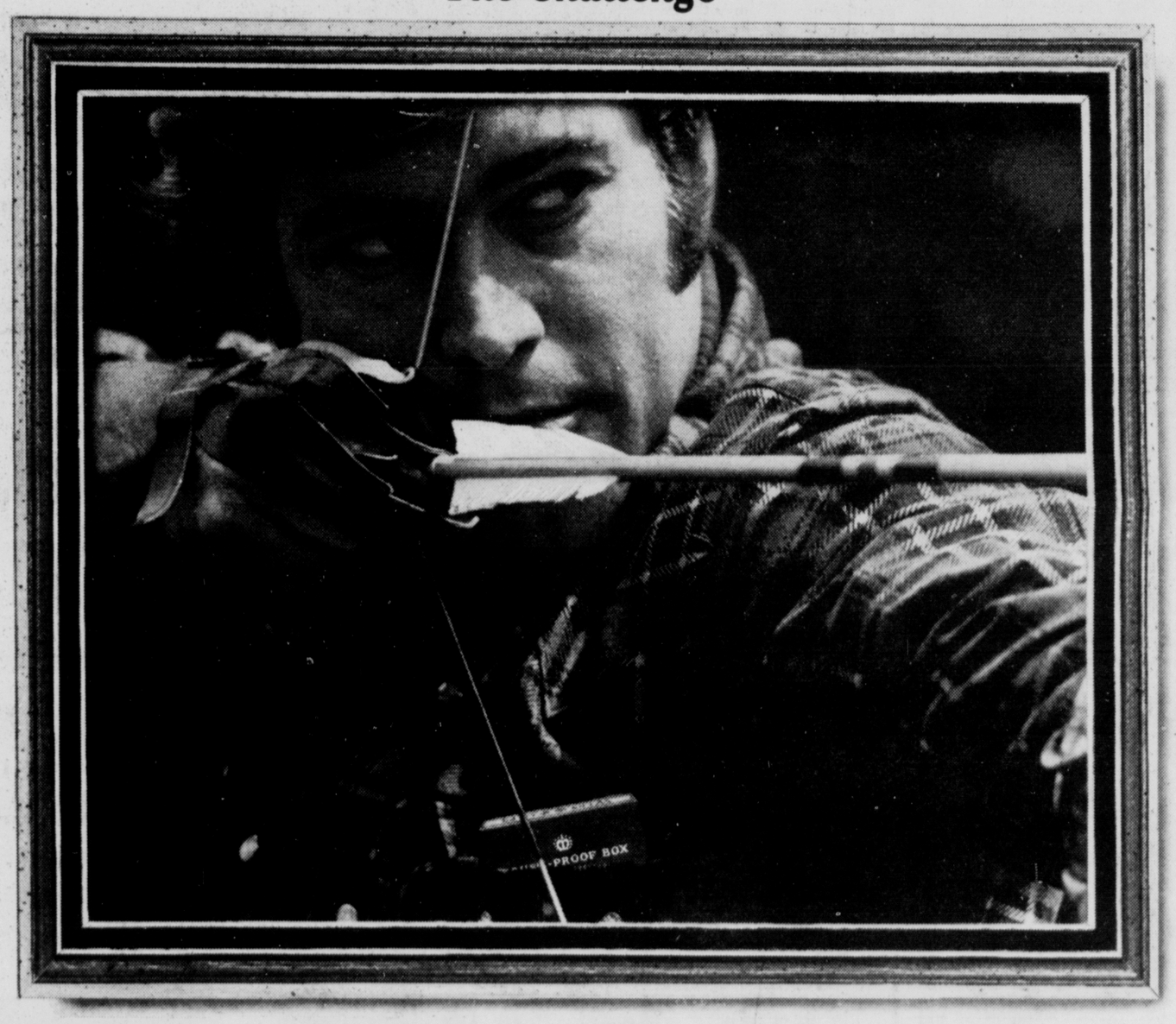
District and regional sites for wrestling were announced last week. The Bulldogs will compete with Cape Central and eight St. Louis area squads in Class L district action at Arnold Feb. 2- 3. Regional competition is scheduled the following weekend at Ladue of St. Louis.

Four wrestlers will advance from district competition in each weight class to the regionals. The top two wrestlers in each division from regionals will then advance to the state tournament at Columbia Feb. 16- 17.

The Bulldogs will be sharpening up for district competition in other action this week when they take on the Ste. Genevieve Dragons Thursday night and Fox High School of Arnold in a Saturday afternoon bout. Both matches will be away from home.

Results:
98- pound— Nowell won by forfeit
105- pound— Bridger beat Gant 6- 0
112- pound— Hutchison pinned Denson
119- pound— Huff beat Richey 9- 0
126- pound— Stinson beat Lemmons 5- 0
132- pound— Lewis pinned Satterfield
138- pound— Vaughn beat Hampton 15- 2
145- pound— Ralph pinned Renfro
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Jordan rips nets for 32

LESTERVILLE — The Lesterville Bearcats, led by the hot shooting of Ron Jordan, took a win over Bourbon 86-76 Monday night in a make-up game. Jordan ripped the cords for 32 points. Jerry Pinkley followed with 23 and Bill Bennett added 17.

Lesterville gained a slight edge over the Warhawks in the first quarter, 20-18. During the second frame, the Bearcats gained a basket on Bourbon and led at half time, 47-43.

Coming back from intermission, the bearcats kept up their consistent shooting and opened their lead on Bourbon. In the final frame, Bourbon could not come up with enough shots to pull out win.

Stan Reiner hit 29 markers to lead Bourbon. Bruce Nilges came up with 19 and J. C. Springer had 13. Dave Scaggs added 10 points.

Lesterville also won the B-game 37-33. Scoring honors were shared by Richie Dement and Larry Fitzgerald of Lesterville, both hitting 10 points. Bill Bohnankamp put in 15 markers for Bourbon.

Scoring:
LESTERVILLE (86)
Bennett 17, Crocker 8, Hensen 6, Jordan 32, Pinkley 23, Totals: Fg-31; FT-24; PF-13
BOURBON (76)
King 1, Springer 13, Reiner 24, Richards 4, Scaggs 10, Nilges 19. Totals: FG-32; Ft-12; PF-22
Score By Quarters:
Lesterville 20 27 24 15 86
Bourbon 18 25 15 18 76

Colorado upsets Missouri

KANSAS CITY (AP) — "On a given day, any team can beat any other team ..."

That's what the coaches almost always say, and Monday night, the coaches' philosophy looked awfully good on two Big Eight Conference basketball fronts.

To say it in a nutshell, Colorado upset eighth-ranked Missouri 81-79 in overtime, and Nebraska upset Oklahoma 74-67.

The defeats were the second in as many conference games for both the Tigers and the Sooners and left Missouri, a team that was supposed to give Kansas State a run for its 1972 title, and Oklahoma, a championship darkhorse, struggling in the league basement.

Colorado had to overcome an 11-point first half deficit and four Missouri leads in the overtime period to beat the Tigers, 12-2. The Buffs finally got ahead for good on Pat Kelly's shot from the top of the circle.

Lee Haven made six Colorado points in the overtime and 28 points for the game, and teammate Scott Wedman added 23. John Brown hit for 28 for Missouri. Steve Blind's 25-foot shot with 48 seconds left pulled the Tigers into a 72-72 deadlock, forcing the game into overtime.

"They hurt us inside," said Missouri Coach Norm Stewart. "They killed us inside. We made mistakes, missed shots, missed free throws, threw the ball away.

"It was a disappointing loss. We'll see how we react to that. We're going to take some time off ... Tuesday and Wednesday. We were a little tight and tired."

Colorado is 5-8 over-all and 11 in the conference.

Nebraska trailed the Sooners all the way until Lee Harris bucketed a 20-foot jumper with four minutes, 47 seconds remaining to give the Cornhuskers a 50-48 advantage, one they never lost.

Oklahoma shut the Huskers out the first three minutes and took a 10-0 lead. Harris wound up with 22 points and led the furious second half comeback but Oklahoma freshman Alvan Adams topped all scorers with 23.

Sooner Coach John MacLeod said, "Mistakes hurt us. Nebraska did as good a job against Adams as anyone has this year."

Joe Cipriano, the Husker coach, said, "This is what we needed because we know now we can beat good teams, and Oklahoma is a good ball club. Harris did an excellent job and made some key steals although he is still fighting the flu."

Nebraska has broken even in two conference games and has a 6-8 record over-all. Oklahoma's mark against all foes is 9-4.

All Big Eight teams are idle until Saturday.

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Squirrels face lean winter

COLUMBIA — Missouri squirrels, after a summer of fat living, now face the grim realities of winter and it almost certainly will make a difference in squirrel hunting in 1973.

The pickings are lean. Acorns, which are a staple item in a Missouri squirrel's diet, are off greatly in production over 1972 in most of the heavily forested areas of Missouri.

In northern and western Missouri, largely prairie, the acorn crop is better but not a staple food. The heart of the squirrel woods is the Ozarks and there the acorn picture is poor.

"We rate our mast crops on a basis of 300 points being perfect, says Don Christisen, game biologist for the Department of Conservation. "No season ever is perfect. From 226 points on up is excellent. In the Ozarks this year, the overall index was 153 points for the black oaks and 111 for the white oaks."

Squirels favor hickory nuts first and attack them early in the fall. "That's the ice cream nut crop for squirrels," Christen says. "After that, they'll move on to the white oaks, the so-called sweet mast, then will wind up with the red and black oaks which contain a higher concentration of tannin and are more bitter."

Nature provides a built-in timetable for squirrel food. White oak acorns may sprout within days of landing on the ground, but the black and red oaks, which are left by squirrels until last, do not sproud until springtime.

"The situation this year in the forest region found the black oaks off 41 points from 1971 and the white oaks off 33 points, which is significant," Christisen says.

Overall, the mast index was almost the same as the 1971 index -- but it was distributed differently, with fewer nuts in the heavy forrests and more in the scattered woodlands. The forest index was only 114, rated fair, while the prairie region had an index of 157 or good.

Best producing nut tree was the pecans with an index of 191, but squirrels have to be quick to beat people to the pecan crop, an important forest crop in Missouri.

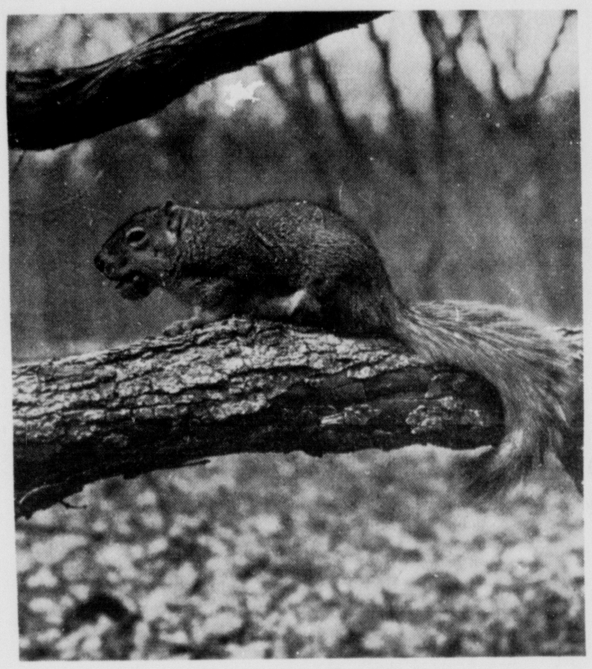
Even though the 1971 mast production in the oaks, hickories, pecans and walnuts was particularly down in the prairie region from the 1970 index which was the best in five years, squirrel production was excellent in the spring of 1972 and hunters benefitted.

Some of the south-central Ozark counties had exceptional squirrel hunting and overall, the state showed a fine season. Christisen sends out between 500 and 700 hunter survey booklets every year to avid squirrel hunters.

"These are not the occasional hunters" he says. "These are hunters who go regularly. And my information indicates that the popularity of squirrel hunting is as great as it ever was. It's a popular misconseption that squirrel hunting is a dying art -- but it just isn't so.

"Squirrel hunters aren't as visible as many other hunters. Many of them just step out the back door and head for the woods. They don't leave a truck or a car along the road as a sign of their presence. And many of them are solitary hunters. Squirrel hunting isn't a social sport, like quail hunting for example."

Squirrels generally have two litters a year, one in February and the other in the middle of the summer. The average litter size is three young. Christisen thinks when winter food is poor (as is expected in 1972-73), squirrels are not in condition to produce as heavily the next breeding season.



Bad squirrel year

A rare sight this year will be squirrels with nuts in their mouths. Missouri nut producing trees had an off year in 1972 and squirrels will be among the wildlife, which depend on nuts for food, expected to suffer in 1973. (Department of Conservation photo)



Wins U.S. Title

John Lawson, right, Poplar Bluff's city park superintendent, is presented an award naming him Public Recreation Man - of - the Year in the United States. Making the presentation is Sam Giambelluca, an official of the Amateur Athletic Union of the United States, which sponsors the award. Lawson as recognized for his "outstanding recreation program" and his work with the AAU, which included the first AAU Junior Olympic national basketball championships held in Poplar Bluff last summer and other regional and national AAU events held during the past year.

New Madrid tourney set

PORTAGEVILLE — Basketball action in the New Madrid County Tournament will get under way next Monday and run through Jan. 26.

B-team action will open tourney play at 5:30 p.m. Monday with the Lilbourn Panthers going up against host Portageville. The second and third games of first night play will be A-team affairs.

In the second game at 7 p.m. the New Madrid Indians will battle the Risco Tigers. The teams will go into tourney play evenly matched, as both have season records of 4-9. The game could very well be a night for sophomores. New Madrid sophomore standout Steve Glenn has been having a good season so far, and could carry the win with the help of Vernon Collins. Andy Smelser of Risco is also having a successful sophomore year. Darrell Wilson is another high-scoring player for the Tigers.

The Lilbourn Panthers are pitted against Parma in the third opening- night game. Lilbourn's 10-1 record overshadows that of the Pirates who now stand at 8-6. The Panthers are also rated No. 3 in The Daily Standard's Top Ten ratings which gives them a decisive edge.

Lilbourn has brought a freshman onto the squad in the past month. Frankie Robinson has shown his shooting talents in several games and has helped pull the Panthers through to victory. Grant Dambach, a senior, and Carl Meadows, a junior, have also come through for Lilbourn.

Leading players for Parma are Rufus Barnes and Mike Nichols. Barnes is a junior with a good scoring average, and Nichols, in his last year for the Pirates, has done an outstanding job.

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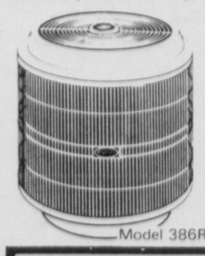
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Prospect Is Grim For Any Progress

By BRUCE BIOSSAT

WASHINGTON (NEA)

A kind of dismal pall hangs over this captial as a new Congress gets to work and President Nixon prepares for his second term. January, symbolically, is the month of fresh hope. Yet the signs of it are not visible.

Even the renewed prospect of a Vietnam war settlement doesn't help much. It has been anticipated for so long that, when it finally comes, we will very likely find that it gives us very little lift at all.

Liberals who have argued for years that Vietnam stood in the way of virtually all home front progress will be placed, uncomfortably in the bright glare.

Over-promisers without equal, they will be stripped of all excuse and asked to deliver. But deliver what?

The massive health care program the nation seems so badly to need? Sen. Edward Kennedy, a chief proponent of such a program, sees no hope for passage by Congress this year, though he has been actively trying to build pressure for it for at least two years.

The rebuilding of the cities? Here the glibness of the liberals has really entrapped them. The phrase rolls easily off the tongues of the romantics. But the fact is they don't have the vaguest idea how to accomplish the task.

Even a superficial tour of half a dozen of our largest cities is quickly sobering. Housing is deteriorating. Streets are pocked. Ordinary services are performed erratically at best. The response to crime has been to convert many homes, apartments, stores and other living and working places into minor fortresses under constant guard. Rebuilding the cities, in body and spirit, looks like the task of a half a century rather than half a presidential term as Sen. George McGovern appeared to be suggesting in his campaign.

But if the liberals' barrenness of fresh thought is near to being exposed in early 1973, what about Richard Nixon?

He may have gained crushing re-election by behaving in a "presidential manner" in the foreign field he loves so much. Yet, against a rival who struck U.S. voters as "presidential" in no way, the President's triumph may have been deceptively easy.

He could be reading the signals wrong if, as some of his friends hint, he imagines he can make his second term a duplicate of the first.

True, he won't be standing for election again, and won't have to take any personal heat if he, too, fails to deliver on the home front.

But we are not today in a time of foreign crisis such as marked Harry Truman's regime and is persuading many to overlook Truman's serious domestic failures. We have a more balanced mix of problems, and Americans unmistakably want some kind of real movement at home.

Thus Mr. Nixon may risk more than some observers think if he does not apply strong influence in such areas as welfare and tax reform. Why? For one thing, historians surely will see that the mix is different, and judge Mr. Nixon across the board. For a second, the President owes allegiance to the "system," not just to his image in history.

The time may not be right for broad health care, but it is clearly right for action on welfare and taxes. Some specialists argue that a president needs a second term to let such issues mature and then move at last to act upon them, Mr. Nixon now has that chance. Not to deliver may be to do grave harm to the presidency as an instrument for effective action on today's puzzling home front. As the year dawns, hope is thin.



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What Causes Bags Under the Eyes?

By Lawrence Lamb, M.D.

Dear Dr. Lamb—This may not seem important to you, but it is to me. How can you get rid of bags under your eyes? I've tried many things. What causes these?

Dear Reader—Directly underneath the eyelid is a small bag of fat. As people get older, unless they have remained very thin, this bag of fat increases in size leading to the typical baggy appearance that disturbs some people. Of course, with the enlargement of the bag of fat, the skin of the lower eyelid is stretched. The only satisfactory way of correcting this problem is by cosmetic surgery.

An incision is made along the rim of the lower eyelid just at the base of the eyelashes. With a little pressure beneath the eyeball, the bag of fat is literally popped out and excised. The excess skin is then removed and the incision sutured. It usually requires several months to regain full normal movement of the lower eyelid, since the muscles normally associated with the eyelid closure are attached to the skin in this region and are cut in the course of the operation.

Transitory accumulation of small amounts of fluid will also cause bags temporarily. This is more prominent in the morning and usually disappears by noon unless there is an associated medical problem.

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Dear Reader—Pills are designed to be dissolved in the digestive tract. The coating on them, including vitamin pills and capsules, is usually there to save you from having to experience their terrible taste. While it isn't true that medicines have to taste awful to be effective, it does seem to be true that a lot of good medicines taste pretty bad, inciuding some vitamin preparations. Some pills are coated with a material to keep them from being dissolved in the stomach. This is because the types of chemicals in the pills might be destroyed by the acid digestive juices in the stomach, and it is desired that they be protected from this until they reach the intestine which is more alkaline. These are called enteric coated pills or capsules.

There are some pills that don't dissolve well in the digestive tract and might pass through without adequate absorption. This is a result of faulty preparation, if it should occur, and to my knowledge no pharmaceutical houses are intentionally making pills of this type.

Some pills should be chewed, but usually the doctor will give you this instruction or they will be on the prescription, or it will be on the bottle if it happens to be something you can buy yourself. As an illustration, many of the antacid tablets are chewed so that they will provide the most immediate and effective neutralizing action of the acid in the stomach. I think it's safe to say that your husband can swallow his vitamin pills and other pills and feel assured he will receive the full benefit from them.

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CLASSIFIED ADS

Actor Ossie Davis, Also Director, Prefers To Call Himself a Writer

By PHIL THOMAS
AP Newsfeatures Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Ossie Davis is best-known as an actor but he prefers to think of himself as a writer — even though his latest effort was directing a movie.

"I always wanted to write plays," the multitalented Davis says with a laugh. "But when I was young a teacher suggested that if I really was serious about playwriting I ought to get in the theater and get experience in all departments, including acting.

"That was the beginning of my downfall as a writer. Acting came easy to me. I got jobs easily, and I used this as an excuse not to write."

The tall, graying, 50-year-old Davis has, however, written a number of things, among them some plays that have been produced as well as "quite a few that haven't been produced," collaborated on movie scripts, and also written a number of television scripts. His best-known produced play, perhaps, is "Purlie Victorious," which ran on Broadway some eight months with Davis playing the lead.



MANY TALENTS — Ossie Davis, actor and writer, is the director of "Black Girl." It is his third film directing job.

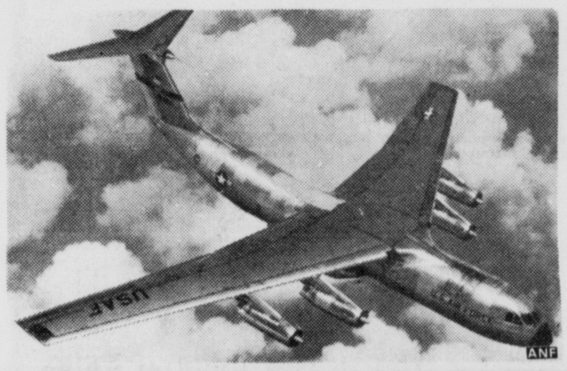
Davis, who has been seen in a number of films such as "The Cardinal" and "The Hill," recently completed a stint on the other side of the cameras — directing the film "Black Girl." The movie, about a young girl who wants to become a dancer, was Davis' third film directing job.

"'Black Girl,'" he says, "was an opportunity to deal realistically with a black family without sacrificing excellence or entertainment. Even a sermon to me has to be entertaining, if it's not I don't buy it. I don't care how noble it is.

"Directing," the deep-voiced Davis continues, "is not difficult, but it is different from acting. Directing is very fulfilling because it absorbs all of your creative energies. The feeling of being in control of all of the elements that make up a movie is very satisfying and it is a feeling that an actor does not get."

As for film and stage acting, Davis prefers the theater "because it offers actors two things that film does not. One is that on stage the actor is in charge of his performance unless you actually drag him off the stage. In film he is not. The other is that it takes a long time to get to know a character and do him justice. The theater gives you time to choose and to select, enabling you to grow in the part. This is very difficult to do in movies."

Davis says he currently is working on a "number of possibilities." One he says is a movie which would star his wife, actress Ruby Dee, and which he would direct.



Destination: United States

HOMEWARD BOUND—Repatriated American prisoners of war will come home aboard Air Force C-141 Starlifters. The aircraft will be specially configured to offer the men the utmost in comfort and convenience during the long trip back to the United States from Southeast Asia. Each man will be afforded a bed of his own, attendants, seat and constant medical attention. (U.S. Air Force photo)

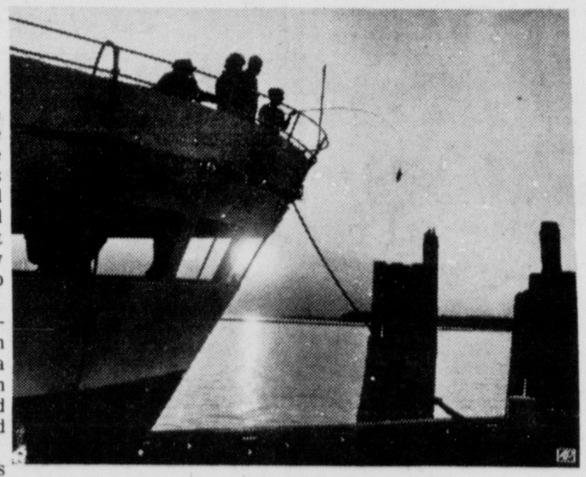
CAMERA Angles

By IRVING DESFOR
AP Newsfeatures

Each photo trip I take teaches me something.

If my most recent trip were to be retraced now, I'd take more color film; keep a more careful daily diary listing more specific information of pictures when taken; buy more prepaid mailers for sending off exposed film en route; and I wouldn't put a roll of exposed film in my gadget bag and leave the top unzippered.

My wife and I recently returned from a 12-day cruise on the 42-passenger Mount Hope, a boat specially built to sail on the inland rivers, canals and lakes that connect the U.S. and Canada in the Northeast.



MOOD PICTURES, at sunset and at night, vary the pace and add variety to any travel picture story. Here's one taken at Burlington, Vt., as the Mount Hope was docked during her 12-day inland waterways cruise.

We started from the ship's home port, Warren, R.I., and reached Montreal via the Hudson River, Erie Canal, Lake Ontario, the Thousand Islands and St. Lawrence Seaway. From Montreal, we turned south at Sorel, Quebec, into the Richelieu River, squeezed through the Chambly Canal to Lake Champlain and reached Whitehall, N.Y. Our voyage ended there because heavy rains closed some of the remaining locks temporarily. We bused back to our starting point.

It was a unique experience which makes a good picture story, offbeat enough to share with others and to recall with pleasure in the future. There were about a dozen camera toters aboard but only three others kept their cameras consistently handy. Therefore, when a situation or scene of interest suddenly appeared, most of them were in no position to record it.

Having a camera along on a trip does little good if it's resting comfortably in a cabin. It doesn't have to dangle constantly from the neck — it can remain within reach in a gadget bag. But I learned the bag should be closed.

My lesson came from a sightseeing tour of Montreal by taxi. After changing film, I opened the gadget bag to put in the exposed roll. On our return to the dock, I lifted the bag by the shoulder strap. The bag tipped forward and spilled its contents from the still-open top. I retrieved the items, put them back in the bag and closed it.

Later, however, I discovered the exposed roll of film was missing. It must have rolled out of sight. My suggestion now: put exposed film in your pocket or in a closed compartment of the gadget bag.

I made another mistake on this trip: not enough color film! Fortunately, I was able to get film, during the last few days, from other fans who didn't run short. That's what happens when I don't listen to my own advice.

I've preached often and loudly that one should be more than generous in figuring film needed for a trip. Each photographer shoots differently but he should know whether he can shoot one, two or three rolls or cartridges of film on a good day. Figure the maximum for each day of the trip and he shouldn't have to scrimp or scrounge by the trip's end.

Some of the film I shot I had prepaid processing mailers. While we were at the Oswego, N.Y., marina, I mailed some Kodachrome film to Rochester and some GAF film to its plant in Binghamton. By the time we returned home, the finished slides in both cases awaited us. The effect was like having Polaroid instant color film — wonderful!

During our cruise, the Mount Hope went through more than 50 canal locks. They ranged from the historic Erie Barge Canal and the double towpaths of Quebec's Chambly Canal to the powerful new giants of the St. Lawrence Seaway. All along the route, children, adults and pets greeted our boat as it went by.

With so many specific places — like churches and museums on a travel tour — it is necessary to make accurate identifications as pictures are being taken to prevent utter confusion when pictures are assembled later. And the best way to keep such information intact is to have a small pocket notebook that you keep on your person at all times. Use it as a daily diary, make complete notes of places and people and add descriptions of details that pinpoint a particular picture as you shoot.

At the same time, collect brochures, travel guides and maps of the areas for correct names, spellings and locations for later reference.

I noticed that most of our picture takers stood at the rail of our vessel when shooting scenes of passing interest — fishermen, a schooner, tankers, the locks, etc. Their pictures then would have a lot of water in the foreground and a lot of sky.

When I took the same pictures, I sought a vantage point on our boat so as to show the passengers at the rail looking or waving to the fishermen, the schooner, etc. Not only did it make a strong foreground and fill the picture area to better advantage, but it told a better story of our voyage . . . scenes seen from our mini-cruise liner.



PUBLIC NOTICES

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT
OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI
NOVEMBER TERM, A. D., 1972

BE IT REMEMBERED, That heretofore and on the 11th day of January, 1973, the same being the 27th day of the Regular November Term, 1972, of the Circuit Court within and for the County of Scott, in the 33rd Judicial Circuit of the State of Missouri, before Honorable Marshall Craig, Regular Judge of said Circuit Court, the following, among other proceedings, were had and entered of record in said Court, to-wit:

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT
OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI
AT BENTON, MISSOURI

BEATRICE HARRIS SHANNON
Petitioner. Case No. 7478

NOTICE OF HEARING ON
APPLICATION FOR CORRECTION
OF BIRTH CERTIFICATE

WHEREAS, Beatrice Harris Shannon, the above petitioner, has on this 11th day of January, 1973, filed her Petition wherein she prays for the establishment of a public record of the time and place of her birth and parentage, and alleges that the birth certificate now on record with the Bureau of Vital Statistics is inadequate and is not correct;

Notice is therefore, hereby given that a hearing on said Petition will be had in the Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, at the Court House in the City of Benton, Missouri, on the 8th day of February, 1973, and that all concerned may be governed accordingly.

Witness my hand and the seal of my said Court this 11th day of January, 1973.

Marshall Craig
Judge of Circuit Court of
Scott County, Missouri

CERTIFICATE OF
CIRCUIT CLERK

STATE OF MISSOURI)
SS.)
COUNTY OF SCOTT)

I, Lynn F. Ingram, Clerk of the Circuit Court of the County of Scott, which said court is a court of record, having a clerk and seal, certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and complete copy of Notice of Hearing on Application Case No. 7478 Beatrice Harris Shannon in the above entitled cause, as the same appears of record and on file in my office.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said court hereto affixed, this 12th day of January, A. D., 1973. (SEAL)

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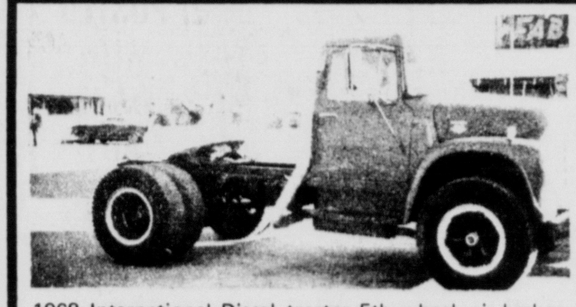
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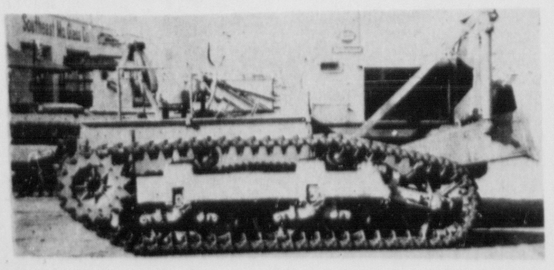
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School head resigns, requests teaching job

CHARLESTON — Supt. Thomas U. Wells, administrative head of the Charleston R-1 School District for the past seven years, turned in his resignation to the Board of Education Thursday night and requested a teaching position in the Charleston schools next year.

The resignation, effictive June 30, 1973, came as a surprise to board members who accepted it, but refused comment.

Wells, 47, a native of Fayetteville, Ark., said of his resignation, "I have considered it for some time and I think since now I have the opportunity to do it I would like to get back into the classroom."

He didn't say whether there were any outside influences which caused him to resign, although the superintendent and William Sherrill Summitt, high school principal, both came under fire from blacks during recent demonstrations at the school.

The superintendent said he had been thinking about teaching for the past two or three years, he considers Charleston his home and he and his wife, Essie, a kindergarten teacher in the school system, would like to continue living here.

Wells is now serving in his seventh year as superintendent here since he was hired prior to the 1966-67 school year.

Before coming to Charleston, he was employed at Potosi for five years — one year as elementary school supervisor and four years as superintendent — and has been in the education field for 23 years — 16 of those as an administrator and seven as a classroom teacher.

He holds a master degree plus 25 hours of other graduate work and is qualified to teach in English and social studies.

In another move, the board delayed renewing the contracts of other administrators in the school system until February so that any who wished to resign would have time to do so by that date.

The board said this was a routine which would affect about nine administrators.

A letter from the Missouri Commission on Human Rights requesting that additional information be sent to them on Coy Franklin, a former black assistant principal at Charleston High School, was brought to the board's attention by school board attorney Albert Pindall.

Pindall recommended that the board send the information requested.

Franklin was told last February that his contract as assistant pricipal would not be renewed for the next school year because the board thought he would do a better job in another position. Because he was a tenured teacher, it was believed that he would be reassigned as a classroom teacher in the school district.

Franklin finished out the school year as assistant principal, amid much controversy, resigned and is now serving as a high school principal in Marianna, Ark.

The board also accepted the resignation of Mrs. Henry Hough, a third grade teacher at Hearnes Elementary School, with a stipulation that she remain until the end of the semester, Jan. 25. She had asked to be relieved of her contract as of Jan. 15 so that she could join her husband on his job in Texas.



SO MUCH FOR THE GLAMOR of being a foreign correspondent. These two newsmen wait in Paris for a breakthrough in the Vietnam peace talks.

Q—Where is the telephone answered with the word "pronto"?

A—In Italy. Pronto means ready.

Q—Who was the first president to appear on television?

A—Franklin D. Roosevelt, in 1939.

LOOKING BACK

Commercial air service starts between Sikeston and Cape

50 years ago
January 16, 1923

Mrs. Ed Wilson died at her home on South Stoddard street Monday after an illness of about two weeks.

The first steps in organizing a Southeast Missouri Cotton Marketing Association were taken at a meeting in Sikeston Thursday, there being representatives from eight Southeast Missouri counties and one from Illinois county present.

Mrs. Otis Bryeans died at her home in Oran Friday from cancer. She had been a sufferer of this dread disease for the past two years.

On January 11, Joseph Fahrnkopf, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Fahrnkopf of East Helen street, of this city, died after an illness of two weeks with scarlet fever. He was six years old.

40 years ago
Jaunayr 16, 1933

Canalou-- Marvin Ralph was in Sikeston Monday on business.

Blodgett-- Next Sunday will be preaching day at the Baptist Church.

At least one Sikestonian was very much in evidence at the inaugural ball of Governor Guy B. Park at Jefferson City last Monday. She was Miss Ruth Inez Felker, who "covered" the event for her newspaper, a publication of Christian College, Columbia. Miss Felker is society editor on the school paper.

Falling from a farm wagon in which he was riding, Alvin Helton of Diehlstadt was killed almost instantly late Saturday when the vehicle was struck by an automobile occupied by former Girardeans, who were driving to Cape from St. Louis. The crash occurred five miles north of Farmington.

Henry Comer, manager of Independent Airways, announced today the beginning of commercial air travel from Sikeston to Cape Girardeau, Poplar Bluff and Cairo, Ill.

Burglars entered the Bank of Blodgett during the night Tuesday, and with tools borrowed from a blacksmith shop and railroad section house, picked and pounded a hole into the vault, escaping with silver money in small denominations used in making change.

30 years ago
January 16, 1943

Ira Hildredt Dill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gord Dill, who has enlisted in the Sea- Bees, construction unit of the Naval Reserve, left St. Louis Wednesday for Norfolk, Va., where he will receive his initial training.

Tragedy wrote an unexpected chapter to moving day for the Norval Gibson family Tuesday when 14- year-old Helen Gibson was found dead in a hay loft of a barn at the new home, her body suspended by a rope from a rafter. The child had been playing with others in the family in the loft but was alone at the time she lost her grip on the rope. Gibson and his family were moving from the Crowder vicinity on Route one, Sikeston, to the farm, known as the Foley place, three miles south of Chaffee on Highway 55.

Mrs. Bill Hopkins assumed new duties this week as a teller in the Bank of Sikeston.

Oran-- Mrs. H.B. Green was in Benton on business Saturday.

Vanduser-- Kenneth Winters has been ill from pneumonia, but is able to be up now.

20 years ago
January 16, 1953

Five Southeast Missourians were listed among the rotation troops arriving in Seattle today from the Far East aboard the transport Marine Lynx. Two were from Sikeston. They were Cpl. Connie R. Howell, Route 2, and Pfc. William S. Harvel, Route 3.

Dr. and Mrs. A.D. Martin left this morning for St. Louis and from there will go by train to New York City, where Dr. Martin will attend a two week Pediatric course at New York University. Mrs. Martin, who was reared in New York, is returning for the first time in 20 years and while there will visit numerous relatives in Long Island.

The brick home of Mrs. Homer Stallings, sr., at the corner of South Scott and West Gladys street, was sold to Joe Anderson, who was recently assigned as Deputy Sheriff to the southern part of Scott County.

Parma-- A freshman at Parma High School, Sonny Johnson, 15, received a sprained right wrist and ankle, multiple contusions and abrasions when he ran into a car during the school noon hour yesterday.

Prayer for today

from the Upper Room

The eleven disciples went away into Galilee, into a mountain where Jesus had appointed them. And when they saw him, they worshipped him. (Matthew 28:16- 17)

PRAYER: Dear God, I thank You for all the dimensions of the Great Commission of our Lord. As I see it in sharp focus, I ask Your help as I accept it as my assignment. For His sake. Amen.

Nonsmokers beware

CHICAGO (AP) — There are additional findings that somebody else's smoking may be hazardous to your health.

A physician writing in the Jan. 15 issue of the Journal of the American Medical Association deals with the possibility in response to a question from another physician.

Dr. Donald A. Dukelow of the AMA's department of education was asked:

"Is there evidence to support recent claims that a nonsmoker with an all-day exposure to a smoke-filled room inhales as much smoke as though he himself had smoked a pack of cigarettes?"

Dukelow told the inquirer his "concern about the hazard of exposure to a smoke-filled room is supported" and cited several studies of the effects of cigarette smoke on nonsmokers.

One study cited found that smoking cigarettes in a closed room soon makes the concentration of nicotine and dust particles so high that the nonsmoker inhales as much harmful tobacco byproducts as a smoker inhales from four or five cigarettes.

Eagleton to discuss fuel crisis at K.C.

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Sen. Thomas Eagleton, D-Mo., will discuss the fuel crisis during a two-day visit to the Kansas City area Thursday and Friday.

Eagleton will speak on the fuel problem at noon Friday at a civic club luncheon. That evening, he will address the Northwest Missouri Press Association meeting at St. Joseph on the subject of newsmen's privilege.

Thursday, Eagleton will appear for brief speeches and question-and-answer sessions at Liberty, Blue Springs and Central high schools.

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The case of the stolen handcuffs

By Jack Strauss, LL.B

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Several days later, when their paths crossed again, the indignant officer arrested Howie for stealing his handcuffs.

"He had some nerve," complained the officer in court. "It was bad enough he escaped from my patrol car, but he had no right to take my property with him. Without my handcuffs, I felt practically naked."

"Well, I obviously couldn't leave the cuffs behind," was Howie's answer." And, since he willfully put them on me I can't be convicted of stealing them since I came into possession of them lawfully."

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you convict Howie of stealing the officer's handcuffs?

This is how the judge ruled: YES! The judge held that "possession" means to have control, care and management of an object. And, observed the judge, when a person is handcuffed against his will, it would be manifestly absurd to think that he is given control, care and management of the handcuffs. On the contrary, concluded the judge, he has mere custody of them and may not deprive the true owner of them. If he does, it's larceny.

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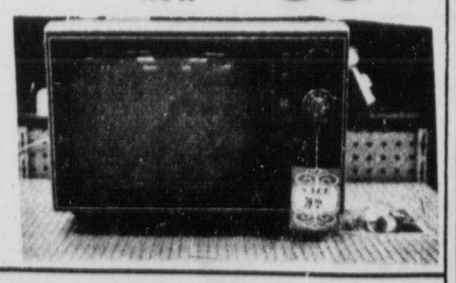
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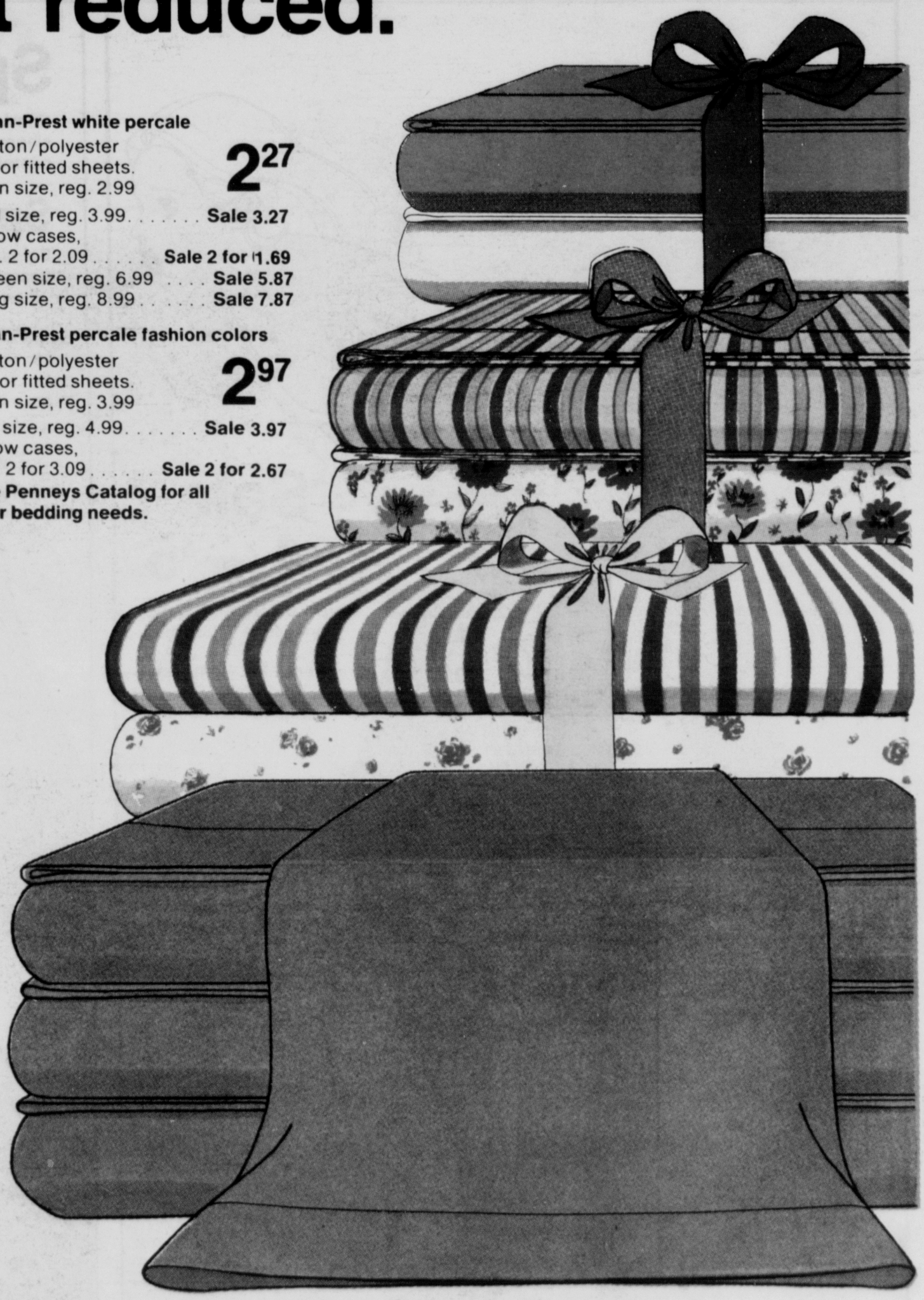
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Men's dress and sport shirts in polyester/cotton. Long or short sleeves in pastels, medium tones, even stripes.

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Handsome polyester double knit shirts. Jacquard weave with solid color 4-button placket. Choice of colors.

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2 for $15

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Belted pantsuit is polyester/combed cotton. Navy, beige, denim blue.
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Military look shirt dress in beige, navy or denim blue. Polyester/combed cotton in sizes 8-18.

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$6

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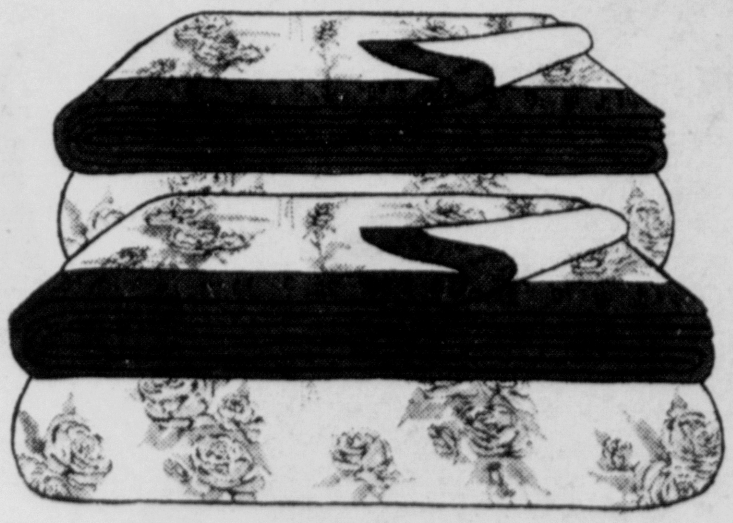
Polyester filled pillows assure lots of comfort and long wear. Full 20X26" size with cord edges. Attractive floral printed 100% cotton ticking in assorted colors. A great price.

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Standard size pillows with Dacron® Red Label polyester filling and blue stripe cotton ticking. Queen size, **2 for $8.** King size, **2 for $10.**

2 for $10

Machine washable, Penn-Prest® standard size pillows. Plump Dacron® polyester fiberfill with blue cotton ticking cover.
Queen size, **2 for $12.** King size, **2 for $16.**



Special 3.99

Washable printed blanket in 100% polyester. Nylon binding. Available in gold, blue or pink.

Special 4.99

Penn-Prest jacquard woven bedspread of washable 100% cotton. Twin or full size in decorator colors.

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Sale 17.00 full size

Reg. $20. 'Sutton' bedspread is polyester/cotton; polyester fill, cotton back. Twin size, reg. $18 **Sale 15.30**
70x36" tier, reg. 2.99 **Sale 2.54**
Valance, reg. 2.39 **Sale 2.03**

Sale 21.25 full size

Reg. $25. 'Zenith' bedspread. Rayon/acetate with polyester fill, cotton back.
Queen size, reg. $30 **Sale 25.50**
King size, reg. $35 **Sale 29.75**
Drapes:
48x84", reg. $10 **Sale 8.50**
72x84", reg. $20 **Sale $17**
96x84", reg. $24 **Sale 20.40**

Sale 22.95 full size

Reg. $27. 'Supreme' bedspread is rayon/acetate; polyester fill, cotton back.
Twin size, reg. $25 **Sale 21.25**
Queen size, reg. $37 **Sale 31.45**
King size, reg. $39 **Sale 33.15**
Drapes:
50x84", reg. 14.35 **Sale 12.19**
75x84", reg. 25.83 **Sale 21.95**
100x84", reg. 34.07 **Sale 28.95**

Sale 18.70 full size

Reg. $22. 'Upsy Daisy' bedspread is cotton/rayon; polyester fill, cotton back.
Twin size, reg. $20 **Sale $17**
48x36" curtains, reg. 4.49 **Sale 3.81**
Valance, reg. 2.99 **Sale 2.54**

Sale 12.75 full size

Reg. $15. 'New Pamela' bedspread is Avril® rayon; polyester fill, cotton back. Twin size, reg. $13 **Sale 11.05**
68x36" tier, reg. 2.70 **Sale 2.29**
Valance, reg. 1.78 **Sale 1.51**

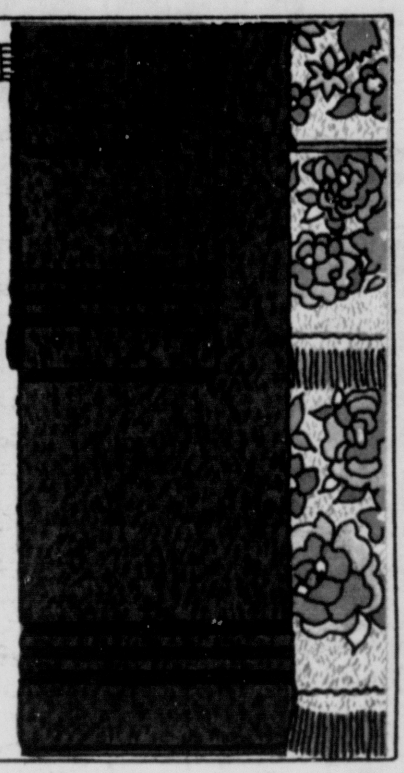
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Special 2 for $1

Hand towels **3 for $1**
Wash cloths **4 for $1**

Big bath towels in prints with fringed ends or solid color cam border style. Color coordinated.



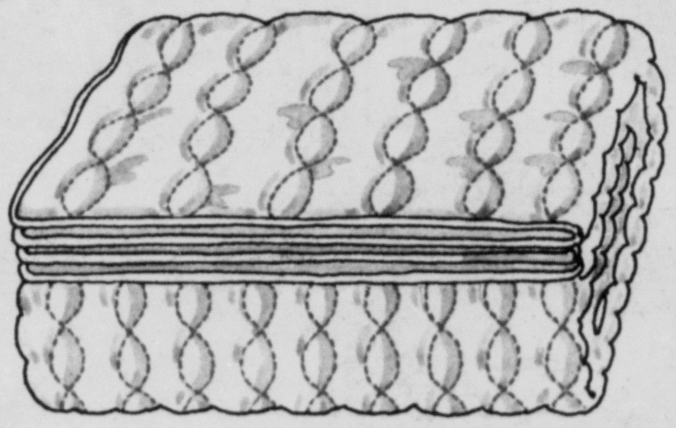
Special 3 for $5

Boys' polyester/combed cotton knit "Bike" shirts. Pieced racing stripes with top stitching. Low crewnecks and zipper fronts. 6-16.



Special 3 for $1

Women's briefs in Celanese Tricocel® acetate. White and pastels. S-M-L. XL-XXL.
Special 3 for 1.25.

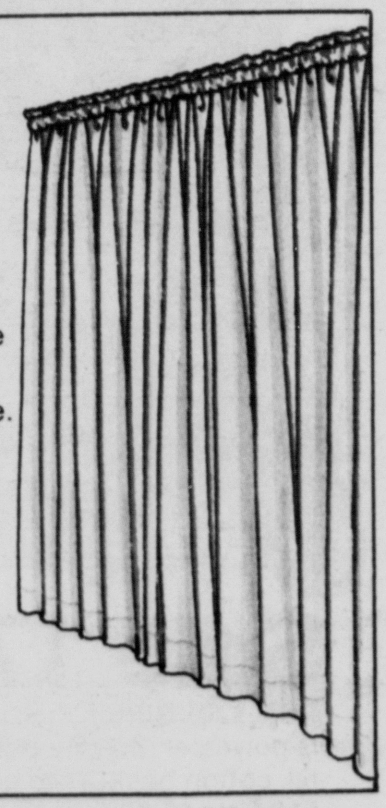


Special 3.99 Twin size

Polyester fill, fitted mattress pads with Sanforized cotton covers. Diamond stitching, double needle binding. Full size **4.99.**

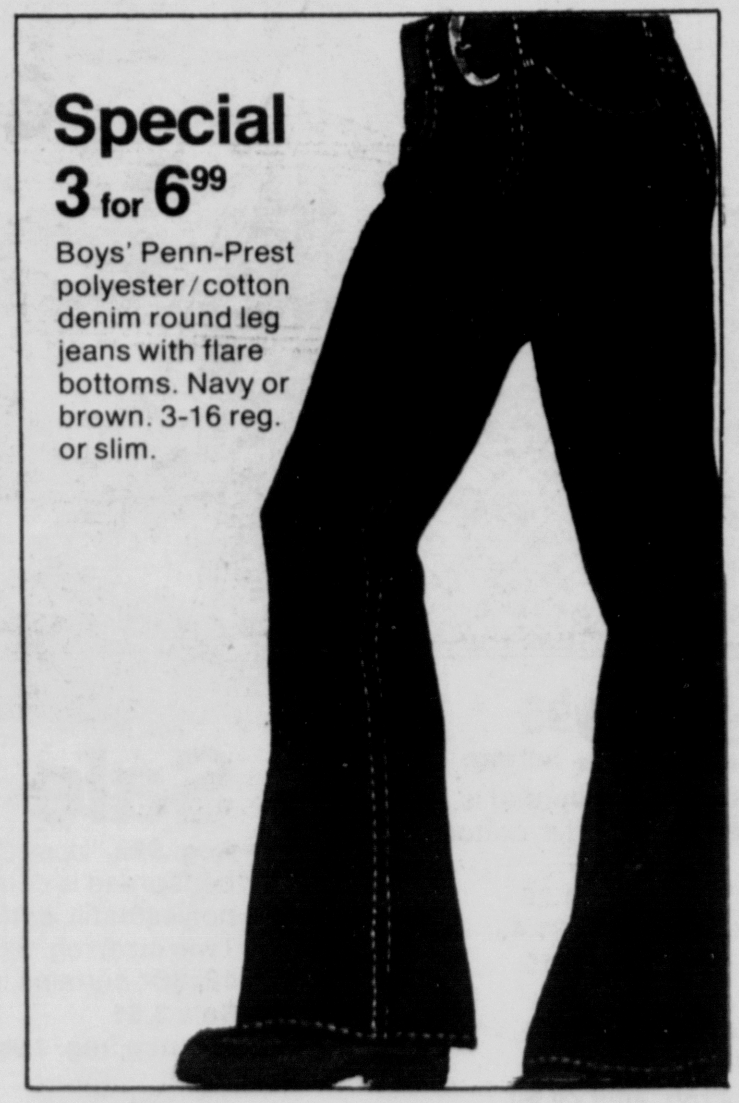
Special 99¢

Polyester marquisette tailored panel with 3" bottom hem. White. Popular 40x81" size.



Special 3 for 6.99

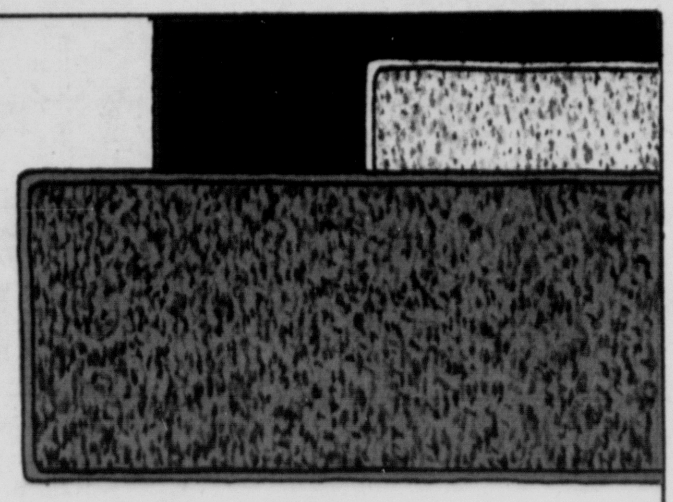
Boys' Penn-Prest polyester/cotton denim round leg jeans with flare bottoms. Navy or brown. 3-16 reg. or slim.





Value 2 pairs $1

Men's socks in a soft blend of Orlon® acrylic/stretch nylon. Great selection of colors. One size fits 10-13.



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Accent carpet pieces in wools, nylons and acrylics. Double jute backing. Serged sides. 24/45".

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